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England's visit to follow four-match tour by Czechs

EURO CHAMPS TO TEST ROOS

Reigning European champion Czechoslovakia will visit Australia for four games, against the Soccerroos in January-February next year.

Czechoslovakia began the defence of its European title last November by beating Italy 3-0 with goals by Jursak, Panenka and Masny. It then ran rings around England for 45 minutes at Wembley before losing 0-1.

Former Soccerroo coach Joe Venglos is now coach of the Czech national team. Venglos led Australia through a three-match series against touring Scotland in 1967.

Czechoslovakia won the European championship in 1976 by beating defending champion West Germany.

The strongest Czech line-up in recent games has been — Michalik-Bar-mos, Ondrus, Vojacek, Gogh-Kozak, Stambach, Jarusek-Masny, Nehoda,

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Gajdusek. Panenka is also among the first choices.

Czechoslovakia's tour will be followed by the visit of England's national team for a full international match against the Soccerroos at the Sydney Cricket Ground on June 1.

Northern Ireland and Scotland are available in

early June and Yugoslavia says it can tour after June 20.

Australian Soccer Federation secretary Brian le Fevre says negotiations are proceeding with those countries.

Meanwhile, the possibility of Australia playing against AEK Athens next



The Czechoslovakia team that won the European championship by beating West Germany on penalties after a 2-2 deadlock in Belgrade in 1976. From left: Ondrus, Viktor, Dobias, Capkovic, Masny, Moder, Svehlik, Pivarnik, Panenka, Nehoda, Goch.

month has diminished. AEK is likely to meet only State teams.

The return match with New Zealand, scheduled for July 25 in Canberra, may also be postponed.

Instead, national coach Rudi Gutendorf expects to

stage a final trial match to produce a 22-man squad for the overseas tour in November.

Gutendorf has asked the ASF to arrange a trial match for the Soccerroo hopefuls in Newcastle.

He said he had his 22 players pencilled in for some time.

"Some of them were too nervous against Partizan in Sydney because they had felt they would be out if they did not impress. Some are overweight and not well trained yet but I can polish them up," he said.

Mr le Fevre said it was possible that the Soccerroos' proposed tour to the Middle East and Greece would be replaced by a visit to China, South Korea and Hong Kong.

He revealed the Australian Government may be willing to subsidise a tour to China.

Gutendorf will go to West Germany in mid-August to attend a 10-day course for senior coaches at the Sports University in Cologne. Leading coaches from Germany, England and Spain will attend the course.

St. George and Hellas safe?

There is little chance that South Melbourne and St. George will be relegated if they finish in the last two positions on the Philips League table.

That was the feeling at the PSL Council of Clubs meeting in Sydney at the weekend.

Delegates felt that there did not appear to be clubs outside the league with the necessary qualifications to replace existing members.

If outstanding applications are received, the league may consider increasing the size of the competition.

The only two official applications received by last weekend were from Victorian State League clubs Frankston and Preston Makedonia.

Any new club that may be admitted will be asked to pay a large membership fee — possibly \$50,000. There is some support among league members for the idea of inviting a club from New Zealand to join the PSL.

ASF president Sir Arthur George pointed out at the meeting that reduced air fares to Auckland made this financially feasible.

All PSL clubs except Footscray agreed to start a national youth league next season.

In Victoria, the PSL youth teams would probably replace the Second Division teams currently run by South Melbourne, Heidelberg and Footscray.

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Germans set for two games

Paderborn of West Germany plays its "revenge match" against Victorian team Keilor-Austria at the Harricks Road ground in Keilor today (Wednesday) at 3.45 pm.

Paderborn, which is on a world tour, lost 0-4 to Austria on a previous visit in 1974 when Austria was in the State League.

Today's match will be sponsored by West Footscray Motors, dealers in VW, Golf and Passat.

Paderborn, an amateur team, will also meet St Albans in a training game at Churchill Reserve in Fox Street, St Albans, on Friday at 6 pm.

The Paderborn touring squad is: Juergen Grieger, Uli Hein, Rolf Huesing, Wolfgang Knebel, Willi Lenz, Willi Schluer, Hans Holtztermann, Klaus Rudolf, Andre Piniek, Hubert Scholand, Gerd Elbracht, Josef Marks, Kurt Nie-wohner, Lorenz Kemper, Ulrich Groene.



Yehoshua Feigenbaum and the Israeli national team of 1969. The players are, from left — Spiegler, Visoker, Bar, Bello, Talbi, Feigenbaum, Rosental, Schurutz, Schum, Spiegel.

Feigenbaum, Micic meet again

By KYLE PATTERSON

Hakoah (Vic) coach Frank Micic will be able to compile a first class dossier on his new guest player, Israeli World Cup striker Yehoshua Feigenbaum.

Micic once spent 90 minutes following Feigenbaum around the Sydney Sports Ground in an Australia v. Israel international. Micic held Feigenbaum scoreless as Australia triumphed 1-0, a fair indication that the Hakoah coach knows Feigenbaum's strengths and weaknesses.

However, Feigenbaum often tormented Soccerroo defences in the international arena, never more so than in 1974 when he scored both goals in a 2-1 Israeli victory in Israel.

Yehoshua "Shaya" Feigenbaum, a veteran of the 1970 Mexico World Cup finals, is expected to be in the Hakoah team within a fortnight.

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ADELAIDE CITY	3	2	3	10	11	5	1	2	20	10	30-21	1 20
Newcastle KB Utd	5	1	2	14	6	3	2	3	11	12	25-18	0 19
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*Canberra City	2	3	2	9	12	3	2	2	10	7	19-19	0 15
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*Brisbane Lions	3	0	6	11	20	3	0	3	6	7	17-27	0 12
*Footscray JUST	3	1	4	9	13	2	0	5	7	14	16-27	0 11
South Melbourne	2	1	5	10	14	1	1	6	5	19	15-33	0 8
*St George BSC	2	0	5	7	15	1	1	6	8	19	15-34	0 7

* One match in hand. **Two matches in hand.

PHILIPS LEAGUE TEAM OF WEEK

In brackets: No. of appearances in this team.

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(Footsc)

HERMISTON (6) DEMPSEY (3) S. O'CONNOR (5) MILOVANOVIC (1)
(Bris Lions) (APIA) (Syd C) (Canberra)

CAMBELL (2)
(H'berg)

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(Marconi)

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ADELAIDE CITY 2 MARCONI 4 Ratings by Meno

Toutsidis.
MARCONI: Maher 7, Degney 8, Berry 7, Prskalo 7,
Russell 7, Vieri 8, Byrne 7, Henderson 7, Krncevic 7,
Jankovics 7, Sharne 7.

ADELAIDE CITY: Marshall 6, Russell 7, Dodds 8j,
B. Nyskohus 6, Perin 7, Muniz 7, Northcote 7, Marwe
6 (Besir), Deans 6, J. Nyskohus 7, Kent 8.

SYDNEY OLYMPIC 0 BRISBANE CITY 1. Ratings
by Knut Werner:

OLYMPIC: Meier 8 (inj. sub. P. Wilson 66th) —
Rowden 6, Bell 6, K. Wilson 6, Cross 5 — Raskopoulos
6, Gibson 6, Jennings 6 — Laing 8, McIntosh 7, Eaton
5 (Luckett 75th).

BRISBANE CITY: Wishart 8 — Ratcliffe 7, Perry 7,
Potter 7, Wilkinson 7 — Coyne 7, Pimblett 7, Caldwell
7 (Gaffney 61st) — Campbell 8, Low 8, Kelso 8.

SYDNEY CITY 3 ST GEORGE 1 Ratings by Alex
Vesse:

SYDNEY CITY: Clarke 8, Kershaw 7, Thomson 7,
O'Connor 8, Bruce 7, Stevenson 7, Barnes 7, Souness
8, Watson 7, Smith 7, Borges — (Campbell 7-25').

ST GEORGE: Fraser 8, Harris 6, Utjesanovic 7,
Della Picca 6, R. O'Shea 7, J. O'Shea 8, Gnavi 5
(Grosse 6-48'), Mihajlovic 5, Cotton 6 (Hensman 7-
61'). Fenoughty 5, O'Connor 7.

CANBERRA 3 SOUTH MELBOURNE 2 Ratings
by Peter Windsor:

CANBERRA CITY: Hoszowski 8, Moulis 7, Milo-
vanovic 9, Callaghan 8, Davies 7 (Gruicic, 62nd min-
ute), Stark 7, Brown 8, Cant 7, Farrell 7, Byrne 8,
McLaren 9.

SOUTH MELBOURNE: Laumants 7, Katsafatis 7,
(Carr, 75th minute), Baxter 7, Wright 7 (Turner, 65th
minute), Christopoulos 7, Cummings 8, Evans 7,
Campbell 8, Davidson 8, Pye 8, Lutton 8.

BRISBANE LIONS — Lownds 8, Hermiston 9, Ben-
nett 8, Lawrie 7, Lavelle 6, Wilson 8, Ogden 8, Ontong
6 (Wallace 75th), Hughes 6, (Low 7, 46th), Fair-
brother 8, Brennan 7.

FOOTSCRAY — Potter 8, Ristic 7, Kondarios 8, Jo-
vicic 7, Hazabent 7, Ilioski 7, Picciano 6, Ollerton 6,
Lujic 6, Palinkas 8, Ristovski 6.

HEIDELBERG UTD 3 WEST ADELAIDE 1. Ratings
by Laurie Schwab —

HEIDELBERG — Banovic 6 — Yzendoorn 8, Bannon
7, Provan 8, Tansey 7 — Campbell 9, Taylor 6, Rooney
7 — Cole 8, Paton 8, Buljevic 9.

WEST ADELAIDE — Crook 8 — Reynolds 7, Kambas
8, Jones 7, Bozanic 7 — Dooley 5, Tynczyzyn 6, Boyle
6 — Honeyman 4 (McGregor 75th), Kosmina 9, Norris
7.

NEWCASTLE 1 APIA 0. Ratings by Joe Lanzoni:

NEWCASTLE UNITED: Preston 8, Willis 7, Curran
8, Drinkwater 8, Summerscales 7, Senkalaki 9, Ber-
togna 7, Tredinnick 7, Heys 7, Keelan 7, Boden 7.

A.P.I.A.: Woodhouse 7, Skellern 7, Pullen 7,
Wilson 7, Dempsey 9, O'Donnell 7, (Corruthers 71st)
McGinn 7, Butler 8, Stone 8, Reed 7, Roberts 7.

Leading averages:
7.9 Jankovics (Marc).
7.8 Muir (AC), Prskalo (Marc), Crook (W.Ad).
7.7 Potter (BC), Hermiston (BL), Sharne (Marc), S.
O'Connor (SC).

7.6 Woodhouse (APIA), Perry (BC), Buljevic
(H'berg), Henderson, G. Byrne (Marc), Pye David-
son (SM.), Thomson (SC), Meier (SO).

7.5 Ratcliffe (BC), Stark, Davies (Can), Clarke (SC),
Kondarios (Foots), J. Campbell, Rooney (H'berg),
Bell, Raskopoulos (SO), Turnbull, Rampanti (APIA).

7.4 Gaffney, Wilkinson (BC), Brown, Milovanovic
(Can), Krncevic (Marc), P. O'Connor (St. G), Watson
(SC).

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10 Smith (SC)

9 Krncevic (Marc)
8 Low (SC), Brennan (BL)
7 Deans (AC), T Byrne (Can), Drinkwater (Newc)
6 Kelso (SC), Cole (H'berg), Sharpe (Marc), Barnes, Waton (SC), Kosmina (WA).
5 Kent, J. Nyskohus (AC), Picoana (Foots) Eaton (SO), Norris (WA), Evans (SM).
4 Reed (APIA), Buljevic (H'berg), Boden, Heys (Newc) G Byrne (Marc), P. O'Connor (St G), Stevenson (SC).
3 Northcote, Villani (AC), Butler (APIA), Caldwell, Coyne (BC), Grujic (Can), Ristovski (Foots), Paton (H'berg), Summerscales (Newc), J. O'Shea, Cotton (St G), Lutton (SM), Souness (SC), Jennings (SO), Pillans, Boyle (WA).

Title chasers look to Sydney City

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Sydney City will carry the hopes of half the Philips League when it meets mighty Marconi at Marconi Oval on Sunday.

A win to the City Slickers would bring Marconi a little closer to the field and would give teams like Adelaide City, Brisbane City, Newcastle and Heidelberg new hope of perhaps catching Les Scheimflug's men.

If Marconi wins, however, it will leave behind even Sydney City.

As things stand, Sydney City is the only serious challenger to Marconi. Adelaide City had its chance last week, but lost 2-4 at home after drawing level with Marconi at 2-2 with two goals by Chris Kent.

Eddie Krncevic, the former Croatia (Vic) striker now playing as an attacking midfielder showed in that game just how many attacking permutations Marconi has. Usually, it's Mark Jankovics who scores the goals but with Jankovics unable to break through, Krncevic took over and slotted home the third and fourth goals that won the game for Marconi.

Sydney City, nor any other team for that matter, cannot approach a game against Marconi with the intention of marking danger men out of the play, for Marconi simply has too many danger men.

Jankovics, Krncevic, Peter Sharpe, Gary Byrne, Tony Henderson — all are goalscorers.

But Marconi is not invincible, as Heidelberg showed a few weeks ago by winning 4-0 in Sydney.

Gerry Chaldi's Slickers are as good as Heidelberg so theo-

Weekend Philips League games, with likely winners in capitals:

IN SYDNEY

MARCONI v Sydney City at Marconi Oval, Sunday 3 pm.
ST. GEORGE v Brisbane Lions at St. George Stadium, Sunday 3 pm.

APIA-Leichhardt v Adelaide City (draw) at Wentworth Park, Sunday 3 pm.

IN MELBOURNE

South Melbourne v. HEIDELBERG UTD. at Middle Park, Sunday 3 pm.

Footscray v. Canberra (draw) at Olympic Park, Sunday 3 pm.

IN ADELAIDE

WEST ADELAIDE v. Sydney Olympic, at Hindmarsh Stadium, Sunday 2.30.

IN BRISBANE

Brisbane City v. NEWCASTLE KB UTD. at Perry Park, Sunday 3 pm.

retically, they are capable of also causing an upset.

However, there is youth, speed, verve and vigor in the Marconi team that cannot be matched by the men of Sydney City, so I expect a Marconi victory.

While Marconi and Sydney City stage their top-of-the-table clash, St. George and Brisbane Lions will be locked in a struggle for survival at St. George Stadium.

The Saints are last and the Lions, despite their 1-0 victory over Footscray last week, are also in big trouble.

Despite doubts that there will be relegation this year, neither team wants to take the chance, and the only way to make absolutely sure of survival is to climb away from the relegation zone.

With Phil O'Connor back after his lay-off due to injury, Saints appear to have a lot

more talent than Lions and should win.

APIA's bid for a place in the top four has lost momentum in recent weeks but the team remains only three points behind four-placed Adelaide City, which visits Wentworth Park on Sunday.

The match will throw opposing coaches Ray Richards and Rale Rasic into headlong conflict. These former business partners (they had a sports store together) had a feud while Rasic was coaching Richards at Marconi last year.

Rasic, earlier coached Richards in the national team. It should be a fascinating game but unfortunately, it is likely to produce few goals as Adelaide City will rely on breaks and APIA's defence is unlikely to open up.

Highlights will include Dixie Deans' tussle with Peter Wilson and Chris Kent's confrontation with Rob McGinn.

Footscray J.U.S.T., desperate for points after its disastrous loss to Brisbane Lions, gets its chance to make amends against Canberra City at Olympic Park on Sunday.

The match is in direct competition with the clash between Greek rivals South Melbourne and Heidelberg (see page 5).

Footscray's perennial problem — the lack of a striker — continues to take its toll but Footscray has ability enough to at least snatch a draw. To do so, the defenders will have to keep a close watch on Terry Byrne and Canberra's Scottish newcomer Don McLaren.

West Adelaide and Newcastle KB United, both candidates for the top four, appear likely winners on Sunday.

West Adelaide, with John Kosmina and Martyn Crook in fine form at opposing ends of the ground, should break down the Sydney Olympic defence at Hindmarsh Stadium and New-



Murray Barnes

castle, with Ken Boden and Graham Heys firing up front, should have the measure of Brisbane City at Perry Park.

Pressmen stumped

Australian Test cricketer David Hookes guided a Media XI to a 1-0 victory over a Press team in a charity shield match at Olympic Sports Field, Adelaide last Sunday.

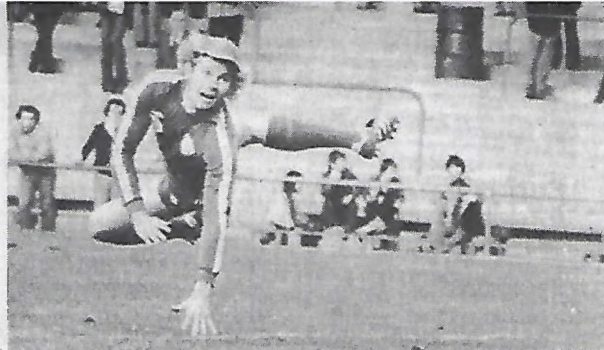
The match, a curtain raiser to the Adelaide City-Marconi clash, was a tight affair with little separating the sides.

Hookes scored the only goal seconds before half time when he broke clear of the defence and slotted the ball past goalkeeper Steve Middleton.

The Press had two golden opportunities in the first half when Mike Duffy put the ball over the bar from five metres, and later Meno Toutsidis saw his right wing shot tipped over the bar by Charlie Horvath, the former Australian goalkeeper who guested for the Media Team.

Joe Pangallo wasted the best opportunity of the game when he cleverly rounded Horvath but kicked wide in front of an open goal.

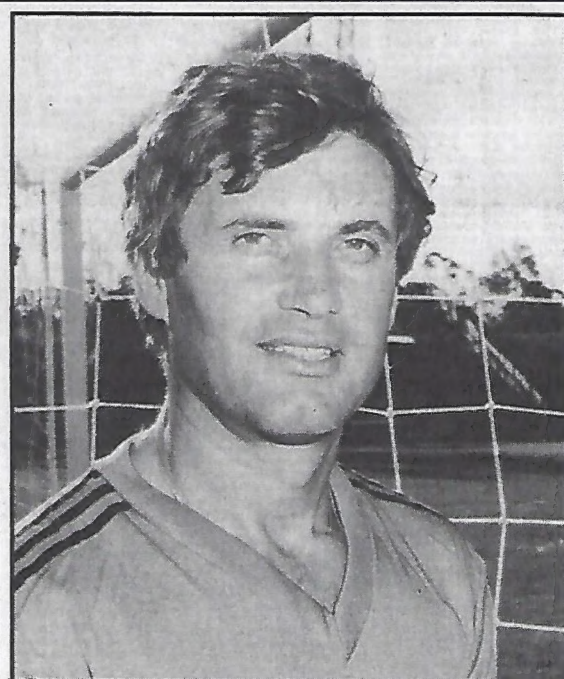
The second leg of the charity shield will be played before the City-West Adelaide match on September 16.



West Adelaide goalkeeper Martyn Crook flies in vain as Branko Buljevic's shot enters the net for Heidelberg's first goal at Olympic Park last Sunday.



Branko Buljevic (centre) makes his way between West Adelaide defenders Peter Tymczyszyn (left) and Barry Reynolds. Photos by SAM BELFONTE.



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Buljevic, Kosmina

HEIDELBERG UTD 3
WEST ADELAIDE 1

Scorers, Heidelberg — Buljevic, 26th, Taylor, 30th, Cole 84th, West Adelaide — Kosmina 60th.
Ground — Olympic Park.
Weather — Cold and windy.
Crowd — About 4500.
Referee — Tony Boskovic (NSW) 9.
Cautions — Nil.

This was a match of special interest to national coach Rudi Gutendorf, for it featured at least six candidates for the Soccer Australia squad — Martin Crook, John Kosmina, John Zenden, Jim Tansey, Gary Cole and Branko Buljevic.

All of them came through it well — especially Buljevic and Kosmina.

Kosmina was always first to the ball, bringing it down and shielding it well, laying it off to supporting players, or pushing it wide and running forward into space to get it back. He also scored an excellent goal.

Buljevic showed so often just how visionary a player he is and scored a fine goal from an acute angle with the outside of his left foot. A brilliant looper over the West Adelaide defence, for Gary Cole to run into in the first half, was typical of the Buljevic magic.

The fact is that by mid-1981 when the series will be played, Buljevic will be 33. He was born on September 6, 1947, meaning he is now 31.

Imagine Buljevic who is as fit as he was when he was 20 and working twice as hard, on the Australian forward line alongside Mark Jankovics and Peter Sharne, with Eddie Krncevic breaking forward from behind! And what about Kosmina — he deserves a spot as well!

Midfielder Jim Campbell emerged from the Heidelberg v West Adelaide match as yet another Soccer Australia hopeful. It's a shame Gutendorf wasn't there to see Campbell's imaginative forward play, incisive passing, speedy recovery and consistent covering. However, Campbell, who comes from England, may not have the necessary residential qualification to play for Australia in internationals.

Martin Crook made some uncanny saves for West Adelaide — particularly one from a Gary Cole pilderiver — and will certainly be among the Soccer Aussies. John Zenden, switched from sweeper to right back by coach Manny Poulakakis — shows greater ability than any right back I have seen in the PSL this season. If he qualifies residentially, he could be Australia's new Doug Utjesemovic.

Heidelberg is definitely on its way into the top four and may even challenge for the title, although that would require Marconi to slip dramatically.

West Adelaide, on the other hand, is deficient in midfield. Kosmina and Graeme Norris are excellent strikers but without adequate midfield support, West Adelaide has little to show for their fine efforts.

West Adelaide was quite woeful in the first half and impressed for only the first 20 minutes of the second half before Heidelberg took over again.

Paton failed to score for the first time in four matches but he certainly has made a difference to Heidelberg's forward line since transferring from Slavia.

"He's always making himself available, he's always busting the opposing defenders, and he always looks dangerous. It was only back then that he didn't get one or two today," Heidelberg captain Pat Bannon said after the game.

Indeed, Paton hit the post in the 37th minute and had a good header saved by goalkeeper Martin Crook in the second half.

Campbell posed a threat to West Adelaide from the start, weaving his way past three men in the middle and hitting shot from inside the area, which Crook did well to deflect.

But in the 5th minute Zenden had a shot to Heidelberg's rescue by booking the ball virtually off the head of Norris who was storming onto a flick-on from Kosmina.

Three minutes later, Buljevic lifted the ball over the top of the goal and into the West Adelaide back line, Cole ran onto it and lashed a shot at goal. Crook parried it brilliantly and the ball bounced over the line for a corner. Just before Col-

Krncevic kills 'em

MARCONI 4
ADELAIDE CITY 2



Eddie Krncevic

Scorers: Henderson 38, Sharne 44, Krncevic 60, 68 (Marconi), Kent 44, 57 (Adelaide City).
Cautions: Degney, Byrne, Sharne (Marconi), Muniz, Green (Adelaide C.).
Referee: 7,900.
Ground: Olympic Sports Field.
Weather: Cold and wet.
Referee: Chris Bambridge.

Les Schenling's Marconi erased the bitter memory of two had defeats to Adelaide City with a crushing 4-2 win at Olympic Sportsfield.

It was Marconi's first win over Adelaide City do all the early running while Marconi looked tentative.

City coach Rale Rasic, obviously aware of the potential danger of 13-goal striker Mark Jankovics, assigned Bobby Russell to check him, while Bugsy Nyshobus shadowed elusive midfield-striker Eddie Krncevic.

Both Krncevic and Jankovics had little influence in the first half but exploded after the break.

City had a glorious chance to shoot into the lead in the 13th minute when John Nyshobus raced onto a perfect through ball after a fluent, incisive move, but with goalkeeper Allan Maher stranded he shot wide the post.

Nyshobus was again denied a goal in the 35th minute when he snapped up the ball after a goalmouth six-up but his shot was blocked.

Three minutes later Marconi scored the crucial opening goal.

Tony Henderson moved forward from the centre and sprinted past a trail of defenders before shuffling off a strong challenge on the edge of the penalty area and coolly cracking a sizzling shot past Marconi's goalkeeper.

Six minutes later Roberto Vieri floated a superb ball to the far post and Peter Sharne deftly headed past Peter Marshall's outstretched fingers.

City cut the lead seconds before half time with a close range shot from Chris Kent.

City pressed hard for the equaliser after the break and Dixie Deans, without a goal in seven PSL matches, drove a powerful shot over the bar.

But Kent sent the fiercely partisan crowd into ecstasy in the 54th minute with a superb 18-metre drive which tore past Maher.

The goal sparked Marconi into action, and having had two goals wiped out, the PSL leaders began building another big lead.

Jankovics showed why he is the league's top scorer with a delicate run outside the area before slipping the ball to Krncevic who slammed it past Marshall from 10 metres.

Marconi put the match beyond City's reach in the 88th minute after poor goalkeeping by Marshall.

Vieri flighted a free kick into the goalmouth, Marshall missed it and Krncevic was on the spot to tap it over the line. The goal killed off City and the closest it came to cutting the lead was in the dying moments when Kent flashed a shot just wide of the foot of the post.

Jankovics missed a difficult opportunity seconds from the end when he raced in to meet a Paul Degney cross but failed to make contact with the defence a mere.

It was easily Marconi's best performance in Adelaide and gave it a perfect record for this season. It beat West Adelaide 2-1 at Hindmarsh several weeks ago.

Footscray a mystery

BRISBANE LIONS 1
FOOTSCRAY JUST 0

Scorer: (Brennan 74th).
Ground — Perry Park.
Weather: Fine and Cool.
Crowd: 1200.
Referee — Jim Reeves 5.
Cautions — Hazabent (F).
Brisbane Lions extracted a valuable two points in their bid to avert relegation trouble when Tony Brennan broke a lengthy goalscoring drought by netting a late goal in their 1-0 win over an equally troubled Footscray.

The win enabled Lions to leapfrog over Footscray and ended a disastrous two game sequence in which they crashed 6-0 and 4-0 to Adelaide City and Marconi.

Footscray understandably would have been quite happy to leave with a point and it was only after Lions scored that they showed just what sort of attractive football they are capable of.

But for too long in the match, several of the talented Footscray men played with little conviction and it is this aspect which will worry coach Bobby McLaglin most.

The lack of effort also had been Lions' biggest enemy but this time they at least tried to give coach Mat Carson maximum effort. Leading the way in this regard were young midfielders Graeme Wilson and John Ogden, who literally ran themselves off their feet.

Back in the Lions fold after being taken off the transfer list was centre forward Barrie Fairbrother and Craig Wallace, who came on at the start of the second half.

Up until Lions scored their goal, the chafy Footscray player really worried any mention as goalkeeper Steve Porter, although his distribution throughout was sadly lacking.

However, many times Potter stood despairing when in possession as he vainly searched for players wanting the ball. It did eventually happen when Footscray got it together late in the match but by then it was far too late.

Lions made many openings in the half, with Herimiston probing forward from right back and Brennan and Fairbrother at last showing some vital aggression up front.

Peter Ollerton, seemingly disinterested for most of the match, tested Nigel Lownds with one good shot, but it was Potter who remained under most pressure, although many of the Lions crosses hit hopelessly by Jim Kondarios and Rodolav Jovicic.

Potter scrambled to save one thundering long-range shot from Herimiston and right on half time, Brennan steered a header just wide of the post with Potter beaten.

The second half was again largely devoid of any real goal scoring chances from either side. Potter did his best to block a Wilson shot from an Ontong cross and Brennan poked the rebound wide.

The winning goal came in the 74th minute, beginning with a move by Fairbrother and Herimiston on the right. Herimiston crossed, there was some hesitation between Potter and his defence and Brennan nipped in to slide his shot home.

Lions were then called on to really prove their resilience when Footscray stormed back solidly, with Zoran Illoski, Joe Palinkas and Joe Piccione creating havoc down the right and through the middle.

If Footscray had played the same way from the start, the result might well have been different.

Lownds made a great save of a Piccione shot, then had to come out quickly to smother another attempt from the midfielder. Piccione had a second chance when he floated the ball over Lownds' head but Col Bennett was there to head safely away.

Lownds minutes later made a brave save under severe pressure from Lujic but Footscray had left it far too late and time ran out.

The final insult was when a last minute move in full flight broke down when Ollerton's pass was intercepted by referee Reeves.

Meier out injured

SYDNEY OLYMPIC 0
BRISBANE CITY 1

Scorer: Kelso
Ground: Wentworth Park



Gary Meier

Sydney Olympic's optimist defender Richie Bell took his eyes off his opposing forward just once and his side conceded the on goal in their 1-0 loss to Brisbane City at Pratten Park.

In the 73rd minute Bell moved to cover a mistake by a fellow defender and Kevin Low's cross found Barry Kelso unmarked in front of the goal to head home the winner.

The match had started slowly and looked destined to end scoreless for much of the first half.

Neither forward line looked enterprising while midfield play was bypassed as both teams' defences hit long, aimless balls forward.

Olympic had the best of the scant chances of the first half with Derek Laing and Peter Raskopoulos both shooting high from close range.

City also had chances, the best falling in the 37th minute when a cross was headed on to the Olympic crossbar by Olympic defender Dave McIntosh.

In the second half Brisbane began to put some attacking moves together and gradually Kelso warmed to his task.

Twelve minutes into the second half Olympic suffered a blow when they lost goalkeeper Gary Meier with a broken finger.

After failing to hold a high cross Meier had his hand kicked when he tried to recover the loose ball and 19-year-old Peter Wilson went on as replacement.

City re-arranged their forward line midway in the half with Kelso moving away from the tight marking of Bell.

This proved the clincher as young Ian Rowden was unable to hold Kelso in the air or on the ground.

After 73 minutes City finally scored the winner through the lanky Kelso.

For the final 17 minutes they continued to press Olympic back into their goal and could have doubled the score.

In the last few minutes Olympic desperately tried to snatch a point but the closest they came was when Derek Laing had a header cleared off the line.

City fights back twice

CANBERRA CITY 3
SOUTH MELBOURNE 2

Scorers, Canberra: Byrne 2, McLaren, 5th Melb: Lutton, Evans.
Ground: Bruce Stadium.
Crowd: 2,225.
Referee: D. Rennie (NSW) 8.

Cautions: Kalefatis, Evans (SM).
Twenty-year-old Don McLaren, who brought himself to Australia and Scotland didn't visit Canberra City a penny, was the toast of the national capital last weekend.

It was he, with individual brilliance, who blasted home the 68th minute goal that sank South Melbourne 3-2 after a see-sawing battle that had the crowd on its toes from start to finish.

McLaren could be the find of the year. In his first full game for City he proved a talented ball player and, half a chance, a deadly sharp-shooter.

Twice Canberra had to come from behind before topping the visitors whose talents greatly outweigh their lowly position on the league ladder.

The game was but four minutes old when midfielder Bertie Lutton got his head to Duncan Cummings' corner and found the net.

Despite their recent patch of abysmal form, Canberra showed they have lost none of their fighting qualities and came back strongly.

Their measured, skilful attacking movements constantly had South Melbourne's defence at sixes and sevens and when hard-running teenage fullback Mike Milovanovic — Canberra's man-of-the-hour — was in the air, he was flicked back by Roy Cotton in the 14th minute it was young McLaren who raced onto it.

McLaren cracked it forward and then stabbed it on the run. The shot was precise and well-timed and deserved a goal. Instinct it rattled the crossbar with South Melbourne's keeper Peter Laumens well beaten and rebounded into the penalty area. Canberra's red-headed striker Terry Byrne gathered in the rebound and calmly sent it into the net.

Within minutes of the goal wily winger Duncan Cummings had shrugged off Canberra's Roy Stark and fired off a close-range volley.

South Melbourne's goal but one thing prevented it — the ability of Canberra's goalkeeper, Steve Hoszowski, who with panther-like speed got down to finger the ball away from the post.

First South Melbourne attacked and then Canberra, with City getting well on top as the first half progressed. Talking, unfortunately, got more than just robust midway through the half Chris Kalafatis' name went in the book for a foul on Johnny Davies.

The second half began as did the first, with South Melbourne rattling Canberra's confidence with an early goal.

George Campbell sped down the left flank and his 49th minute cross was magnificently volleyed by Alan Evans past Hoszowski and into the net.

South Melbourne were jubilant for the first time the prodigious talent of such players as Evans, Cummings, Campbell, Lutton and Mike Pye was much in evidence.

Somewhat, however, it caught South Melbourne's defence flatfooted and landed Canberra's last defender and keeper Laumens. Quick to spot the possibilities was young Byrne.

He dashed between two defenders and beat the racing Laumens to the ball to poke it into the roof of the net and notch his 11th goal of the season (seven in League and four in Phillips Cup games).

Canberra had from his 59th minute equaliser and lifted their game.

As darkness fell — the game having started 30 minutes late due to a delayed arrival of South Melbourne — Canberra again got on top.

It was South Melbourne that came closest to breaking the deadlock when Hoszowski made a fine save of Cummings' drive but two minutes later McLaren got the match winner.

Danny Moulds had joined the fray and the fullback's ball found McLaren in the centre. He gathered, privoted, beat a defender with ease and his hard shot from six metres was in the net in a flash.

The crowd, although at 2,225 the smallest of the year, went wild, then became subdued and anxious.

Saints' new boys quiet

SYDNEY CITY 3
ST GEORGE 1

Ground: Wentworth Park
Attendance: 1871
Referee: D. Nugent 8
Weather: Sunny and fine
Goals: O'Connor (22') for St George, Stevenson (43'), Souness (61'), Smith (62') for Sydney City.

Sydney City moved to second spot on the Phillips League table with a well deserved win against the struggling St George at Wentworth Park, before a poor crowd of just below 2000 people.

However, it wasn't all Sydney City despite the convincing scoreline. St George managed to go into the lead midway through the first half and looked capable of holding the Slickers at bay. In fact St George could have led 2-0 had their new signing Nick Fenoughy taken his chance in the 14th minute, but the new Saint proved a villain by missing a sitter.

The game opened at a slow pace with Sydney City in command early. Murray Barnes came close with a header after only eight minutes, following a good cross by Stevenson. St George's defence was stretched far and wide during that period and City looked slightly the better team.

Then, out of the blue came a chance for Nick Fenoughy. The new signing picked up a long clearance to race into the clear. Thomson tackled from behind but failed to stop Fenoughy who ran into the area before hitting a low shot straight at the keeper.

Eight minutes later Todd Clarke wasn't so lucky. Following a corner from the left John O'Shea, the ball was flicked back by Roy Cotton to the feet of Robert O'Shea, the ball was flicked back by Roy Cotton to the feet of Robert O'Shea.

Connor to push it into the net. In the 18th minute O'Shea was injured and replaced by Ernie Campbell.

With only seven minutes remaining in the first half the Sydney City side had its first real opportunity to score. The St George defence failed to clear the ball following a corner from the right by Watson and Barnes nodded it back into the area for Smith to head and blast over the bar from some six metres.

With two minutes remaining in half Mike Fraser was beaten.

Ernie Campbell found a huge gap in the Saints defence and ran into the area to pick up a good through pass by the City defence. Campbell appeared to have gone too far and the St George defence closed on him almost on the corner line and some six metres from the goal post. But Campbell managed to push the ball through so Murray Barnes was the far post for Stevenson to nudge the ball into the net for the City equaliser.

Rudi Gnani was replaced at half and Brendan Grosse was brought in to help eliminate some problems the Saints obviously had during the first 45 minutes.

City dominated the second half and soon after the restart went ahead. Joe Watson sent a perfect pass from the edge of the area to Ian Souness who slammed a first-time pass past Fraser to give his team the lead.

Only a few minutes later, following a corner kick by John O'Shea, Roy Cotton flicked the ball to the unmarked O'Connor who unleashed a powerful drive from some seven metres, only to see Clarke make a spectacular reflex save.

City scored its third goal in the 62nd minute.

Murray Barnes managed to find the target with a well-measured shot from just outside the area, Fraser parried but a second shot from Terry Smith who made no mistake with his shot.

Two minutes later Ian Souness could have made it 4:1. Souness faced Fraser after a great solo run, but lost the ball to the Saints keeper while trying to go around him.

With 20 minutes to go Ian Souness again was unlucky not to score. He raced into the area, outjumped the Saints defence and flicked the ball onto the cross bar with a glancing header.

With 13 minutes to go, Utjesemovic crossed into the area, but three St George forwards could not nudge the ball into the net allowing big Steve O'Connor to clear off the line.

City deserved its win but surprised by playing well only

Fans angry over ref.

NEWCASTLE KB 1
APIA 0

Scorer: Boden 32nd
Ground: International Sports Centre
Weather: Fine - Ground Conditions Perfect
Cautions: Pullen (A)35th, Drinkwater (AU)57th, Wilson (A)87th.
Crowd: 10012
Referee: Peter Rampley (Sydney)

Referee Peter Rampley was subjected to a wild demonstration after this game at the International Sports Centre.

Some of the APIA supporters who had travelled to Newcastle to see their team, moved menacingly toward the officials as they were leaving the field.

The Newcastle security team comprising mainly off duty policemen whose main job is to escort the officials off the ground, moved swiftly and avoided what could have been a nasty situation.

The APIA bench and supporters were incensed at some of Mr Rampley's decisions, especially in the second half when APIA was desperately looking for the equalising goal.

In all fairness, the Newcastle bench could have been just as upset at the treatment handed out by Mr Rampley.

It just was that kind of a match. The marking was tight, with both teams moving swiftly to the ball and the tackling was uncompromising.

APIA had come to Newcastle looking for a point but one can't help feeling that their sights being set a little higher, their trip would not have been fruitless.

The locals were rather slow to settle down and in the first 20 minutes the visitors could have had two goals but for some scrambling clearances by the Newcastle defence.

After this initial period Newcastle started to put their game together and in the 21st minute Col Curran's cross was headed on by Kevan Keelan but Graham Heyes missed the ball with the goal at his mercy.

Six minutes later a great solo run down the centre by Keelan drew Wilson out of the centre before the stocky striker could head the ball into a great ball. Boden rushed his shot a little and the ball grazed the right upright.

In the 32nd minute Boden made amends when, from a perfect free kick taken by Peter Willis from the right, he rose above the defence at the far post to beat Greg Woodhouse with a great header.

At that stage one would have expected to see APIA change their tactics a little. It was obvious then that they could not continue to sit back and expect to salvage a point.

But it was Newcastle that continued to dominate and the interval saw the locals well in command.

The second half started with Joe Senkalski hitting the top of the crossbar with a great snap shot.

Chances came to APIA's Terry Butler and Elwyn Roberts but the opportunities were not accepted.

In the 72nd minute Col Curran came to the rescue by clearing off the line a shot by Norris with Jim Preston beaten.

That was probably the last chance APIA had to score the equaliser although they continued to press until the final whistle.

APIA is suffering from a complacent attitude, being capable of putting the ball into the net.

Ray Richards has his job cut out overcoming this problem unless he can convince his middle men that they must come behind to support their two lone strikers when in an attacking position.

Allan Vest should be over the moon by the performance of Joe Senkalski in the KB midfield, and he should be given a pat on the back for managing to instill in Senkalski the aggression and ball winning ability that were lacking in this gifted youngster's game.

Senkalski, with Peter Tredinnick and Arno Bertogna, form a young and talented midfield trio and with Malcolm McClelland and Brett Cowburn on the bench, it is refreshing to see all these Australian players making an impact in the Phillips League.

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'Paton must defend': Poulakakis



Manny Poulakakis

Heidelberg Utd coach Manny Poulakakis is certainly a hard man to please, as ace striker Jamie Paton has discovered.

Paton, probably the most successful goal poacher in Australia, has come in for some criticism from his coach because of his work rate.

Poulakakis maintains Paton's role in the Heidelberg team extends further than scoring goals, and that the striker must improve his defensive work.

"Jamie's attacking work is outstanding," said Manny, "and few players around have his ability in front of goal. But he has a job to do when his team hasn't got possession of the ball, and it's in this area that he's been falling down."

"As soon as the ball is lost on the forward line, it's the forwards job to chase and apply pressure to the opposition player with the ball. By chasing the ball as soon as it is lost, the opposition is forced into pushing the ball backwards and square across the field, which means the opponents aren't attacking."

Poulakakis said he was trying to change Paton's habit of standing around in the centre of the field when he wasn't in the play.

"I watched Paton play against Partizan Belgrade for Victoria," said Poulakakis, "and he did a lot of defensive work. I analysed his game, and he chased back into the middle field and defence on 12 occasions."

"This is part of a forwards job and now he must do as much work for Heidelberg as he does for Victoria. He's not there just to score goals."

However, Poulakakis has no complaints about Paton's work rate once the ball is in attack.

"I'm lucky enough to have two "lions" in my forward line," said Manny. "Gary Cole and Paton are so energetic when the ball is in the scoring zone, and will shoot at goal whenever there is half an opening."

"Branko Buljevic has been in brilliant form recently, and as well as being a dangerous forward, he's doing his job as a defensive player. Branko is doing more running back than ever before."

Poulakakis may be able to find small faults in his forward division, but the facts are Heidelberg has one of the strongest striking trios in Australia. Poulakakis knows this, and believes Paton, Buljevic and Cole will be able to exploit weak links in the South Melbourne defence.

"Defence is one area in which South Melbourne has struggled this year," said Manny. "We will not have any special plans for our match against Souths, but know what we have to do to crack the team's back line."

"Mike Pye likes to overlap on the right side, and sometimes he commits himself to attack too much. We can make something out of this if we can get the ball quickly to Buljevic, who would have a one-on-one situation with another defender. Buljevic's great skills make him a dangerous player in these situations."

Alan Davidson, the South Melbourne left back, also likes to push up and aid the attack, but Poulakakis has a feeling he will play in midfield against Heidelberg.

"There is no point making extravagant plans when a couple of positional changes by the opposition will render them useless," explained Manny.

Another weak point in the South Melbourne defence is lack of pace.

"One of the centre backs is slow on the turn," said Manny, "and the speed of Paton and Cole will cause problems."

Poulakakis is aware South Melbourne has dangerous players.

"South Melbourne has some great individuals, and perhaps this is the team's downfall," said Poulakakis. "The skillful individuals aren't combining as a team."

"Alun Evans is a top player, but I will not have one of my players following him around. We can cover him by making sure he has pressure on him whenever in possession. The defence, as a whole, will have to combine to cut out the threat of dangerous players."

Poulakakis is a former coach of South Melbourne, but only two players remain of the 1977 team Manny coached. They are Mike Pye and Duncan Cummings.

"Obviously there have been a lot of changes at South Melbourne since I was there," he said. "But still I have friends at that club. However, I'm a professional coach and Heidelberg is my club. I desperately want Heidelberg to defeat South Melbourne, and will be very upset if we fail."

"The rivalry that exists between the supporters of the two teams doesn't really extend to the players and coaches. We'll fight hard during the match, but afterwards will be friends."

In the match against Marconi, Poulakakis made a major change to the Heidelberg defence, moving sweeper John Yzendoorn to right back. Pat Bannan was drafted in from midfield to fill the vacant defensive post.

"Yzendoorn will stay at full back," said Manny. "The only reason I switched him there was his lack of height. In the centre of defence there are many high balls to deal with and he is disadvantaged challenging in the air."

"He has great ability, stamina and is a very determined player. John is eager to learn, and would run through a brick wall to win a game. These assets make him a natural attacking full back."

"Against Marconi in Sydney he was opposed by Peter Sharne, one of the best wingers in Australia, but he came out on top. As well as defending, he gave us width on the right and a lot of drive."

"If he's to play in the national team, it will be at right back."

SOUTHS TO BREAK THE ROUGHT?

By KYLE PATTERSON

South Melbourne may get some respite from its "Alexander hoodoo" when it clashes with Greek ritual Heidelberg Utd at Middle Park this Sunday.

Middle Park isn't a happy hunting ground for Heidelberg, which has dominated over South Melbourne since the inception of the Philips League.

Heidelberg Alexander fans would rather forget that fateful day when Marconi whipped the Melbourne team 8-1 at Middle Park. The record books show that 1977 result to be the second highest score in the history of the PSL.

What's more, Heidelberg's superiority over Souths isn't evident at Middle Park. Heidelberg hasn't beaten South Melbourne at Middle Park in the PSL, and in the two games played there had to come from behind to salvage draws.

In 1977, a goal two minutes from the end by Bobby Provan saved Heidelberg after Duncan Cummings had shot South Melbourne into a 57th minute lead.

In 1978, a second half goal by Gary Cole brought Heidelberg on level terms after Chris Kent's first half goal.

Middle Park will suit South Melbourne, but on form Heidelberg will start red hot favorite. This year Heidelberg has a great chance of recording its first win over South Melbourne at Middle Park.

The "Alexander hoodoo" is one stumbling block for South Melbourne, but a bigger threat is the Heidelberg all-star forward line of Jamie Paton, Branko Buljevic and Gary Cole. Mike Pye is an experienced campaigner, and his past duels with Buljevic have been even. However, the presence of Buljevic may restrict Pye's runs forward, thus robbing South Melbourne of an avenue to attack.

Alan Davidson probably will not have a direct opponent, but Souths will have to make sure he's covered when overlapping. Jim Campbell will burst through on the right from midfield, and Paton and Cole are sure to exploit openings with their tremendous pace.

Speed could worry the centre back pair of Chris Kalafatis and Stuart Baxter, although Kalafatis is the more mobile of the two and covers well.

The Heidelberg defence has been reshuffled, with John Yzendoorn now at full back and Pat Bannan at centre half. Like the South Melbourne defence, the centre of the Heidelberg backline could be found wanting for speed when faced by Alun Evans and Duncan Cummings.

However, Yzendoorn and Jim Tansey will give little away on the flanks, making it hard for winger George Campbell and perhaps Cummings if he returns to the front line.

Steve Carr is still settling in, but his presence is enough to give Evans more room. Coming from behind, Evans is difficult to mark, and this could be a decisive factor for South Melbourne.

Cummings did well in the midfield in the last couple of weeks, but he may return to the forward line.

Bertie Lutton and George Christopoulos have been McKay's main midfielders of late. Christopoulos does a lot of grafting, but Souths will need Lutton to exert more influence over the game.

South Melbourne has the forwards, but needs better service from the midfield.

Heidelberg has great momentum after a string of good results. The team has balance, confidence and some brilliant individuals.

South Melbourne is down on confidence, and is still looking for a settled line up. Heidelberg will be too strong, and is set for a victory.

FACTS AND FIGURES

Total appearances by each player in South Melbourne/Heidelberg games since 1977:	HOME	AWAY	FITZROY ALEXANDER 4 (Buljevic 2, Campbell, McMillan) SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 1 (Rogers) 8: Olympic Park.
SOUTH MELBOURNE	P W D L F A O L F A P S	7 4 1 0 15 7 0 2 0 2 2 1 1	ALEXANDER: Blasby 7 - McMillan 8, Provan 7, O'Reilly 7, Tansey 9 - Taylor 9 (injured, sub Micevski 65th), P. Bannan 8, Campbell 9 - Bozkaas 8, Cole 8, Buljevic 9. Total: 89.
6 Pye, Kalafatis, 5 Hagganopoulos, Rogers, Reilly, Baxter, Lutton, Wright, 4 Cummings, Campbell, 3 Ollerton, Christopoulos, Evans, 2 Xanthopoulos, Gibson, Daperis, French, Kent, McGuinness, Hansen, Drakeford, Munro, Davidson, 1 Alexiou, Mitten, Kyriakoulas, Turner.	SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 1 (Cummings 57th) FITZROY ALEXANDER 1 (Provan 88th) at Middle Park.	Retings: HELLAS: Reilly 6 - Pye 8, Xanthopoulos 6, Kalafatis 7, Hagganopoulos 6 - Gibson 5, Rogers 5, Daperis 4 (Alexiou 80th) - Cummings 6, Ollerton 6, French 4. Total: 63.	PHILIPS CUP SECOND ROUND FITZROY ALEXANDER 2 (Buljevic 88th, Taylor 10th) SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 1 (Cummings 88th) at Olympic Park (night game).
HEIDELBERG	7 Provan, Campbell, Taylor, Buljevic, 6 O'Reilly, P. Bannan, Bozkaas, McMillan, Tansey, Cole, 4 Blasby, Salemida, 2 Micevski, Banovic, Rooney, 1 Nelson, Glykokalamos, Rakovakis, Kokkinos, Whiteside, V. Bannan, Tront, Marner.	HELLAS: Reilly 7 - Pye 8, Baxter 7, Munro 6, Hagganopoulos 7, Lutton 3, Wright 6 (Rogers 1 half time), Christopoulos 6 - G. Campbell 8, Evans 8, Cummings 7. Total: 81.	ALEXANDER: Marner 9 - McMillan 8, Provan 7, O'Reilly 9, Tansey 8 - P. Bannan 8, Taylor 8, Campbell 7 - Salemida 7 (Micevski 94th), Cole 6, Buljevic 7. Total: 84.
3 Rogers, Cummings, 1 Christopoulos, Drakeford, Kent.	SOUTH MELBOURNE	HELLAS: Reilly 7 - Pye 8, Baxter 7, Munro 6, Hagganopoulos 7, Lutton 3, Wright 6 (Rogers 1 half time), Christopoulos 6 - G. Campbell 8, Evans 8, Cummings 7. Total: 81.	HEIDELBERG UTD 2 (Buljevic 36th, Taylor 70th) SOUTH MELBOURNE 2 (Drakeford 62nd, Cummings 75th) at Olympic Park.
HEIDELBERG	6 Buljevic, 3 Cole, Campbell, 2 Taylor, 1 Provan, McMillan, Rogers O.G.	SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS 1 (Kent 45th) FITZROY ALEXANDER 1 (Cole 53rd) at Middle Park.	HEIDELBERG: Banovic 5 - McMillan 6, O'Reilly 6, Provan 5, Tansey 8 - Rooney 8, Taylor 7, Campbell 7 - Bozkaas 5 (Salemida 65th min), Cole 6, Buljevic 8. Total: 68.
Total team ratings: HEIDELBERG 535.5, SOUTH MELBOURNE 504.	Best players in matches between two teams, with ratings:	1978	SOUTH MELBOURNE: Reilly 6 - Kalafatis 7, Baxter 7 (injured Kyriakoulas 6, 55th min), Munro 5, Turner 6 - Lutton 5, Wright 5 (Davidson 8, half time), Cummings 6 - Drakeford 7, Evans 7, Campbell 6. Total: 69.
8.5 Buljevic, 8.0 Tansey, 7.5 McMillan, Taylor, Rooney (two games only), 7.1 O'Reilly.	SOUTH MELBOURNE	ALEXANDER: Blasby 8 - McMillan 7, Provan 7, P. Bannan 6, Tansey 8 - Campbell 6, Taylor 7, Tront 6 (O'Reilly 6, half time) - Bozkaas 6, Cole 7, Buljevic 8. Total: 75.	
7.4 Lutton, 7.1 Campbell.	HEIDELBERG's advantage in figures: Home at Olympic Park, away at Middle Park.		

John Margaritis will coach South Melbourne this Sunday against his old club Heidelberg Utd after the resignation of Duncan McKay.

McKay resigned as coach of South Melbourne last Monday night after the committee gave him a vote of no confidence. He took over the job only 10 weeks ago after the resignation of Dave Maclaren.

McKay wanted a vote of confidence and a one-year contract to continue as coach of South Melbourne after being plagued by rumours that he would be sacked.

He was denied a vote of confidence, and so promptly resigned.

"It was a waste of time coaching under the circumstances," said McKay. "I was sick of all the rumours, and was quite happy it came to a head."

"The club has been in a mess all year, and there's no way the problems can be fixed quickly. Stability is needed to get the club in shape, but as long as South Melbourne keeps changing it will go nowhere."

McKay blamed the supporters for the constant radical change in the club.

"The supporters run South Melbourne, and as long as these hot-headed fans have influence in the decision making, the club will get nowhere."

Pressure on McKay grew in recent weeks when South Melbourne lost five out of its last six games, and remained rooted in second-bottom place.

He had started well at South Melbourne, leading the team to three wins in four games.

Margaritis was sacked as coach of Heidelberg after a row with committee Spiros Rombotis, and was replaced by Manny Poulakakis, a former coach of South Melbourne.

Margaritis had two stints with Heidelberg in the Philips League. The first came when he replaced Jim Adam in 1977 and led Heidelberg to third place.

He moved to West Adelaide at the start of the 1978 season, but later left to succeed Tony Boggi at Heidelberg midway through the season.

Ironically, Jim Adam was the man who replaced Margaritis at West Adelaide in 1978, and he led the Greek club from South Australia to the PSL championship.

Margaritis was with West Adelaide in 1976 and with South Melbourne in 1975. He played for South Melbourne in the early 1960s.

Such is the coaching round about that opposing coaches this Sunday - Margaritis and Manny Poulakakis - have been in charge of both the teams on two occasions.

McKay's run at South Melbourne is one of the

McKay quits South

shortest of any Philips League coach.

He took over on April 25 and left on July 9, and in that time was in control for 10 matches.

South Melbourne won three games in that time, drew one and lost six.

He bought only one player during that time. - Green Gully Ajax striker Steve Carr, who cost South Melbourne \$8,500.

Before coaching South Melbourne, McKay coached Green Gully Ajax and the Victorian State team in 1978, and was in charge of Essendon Croatia in 1977.

He coached Azzurri in Perth, and was a youth coach of Glasgow Celtic.

McKay played over 200 league games for Celtic, and represented Scotland at full international level.

His succeeded another Scot, Dave Maclaren, who is now coach of Victorian State League club George Cross.

Maclaren was at South Melbourne for 1½ seasons after guiding the successful Hakoah Sydney (now Sydney City) for many seasons.

Maclaren was responsible for a massive clean out at South Melbourne at the start of the 1978 season. He rebuilt the team spending large amounts of money.

He signed Sammy Wright (Wolves, England), Bertie Lutton (Hakoah Sydney), John Hansen (Wallasey, England), Frank Munro (Celtic, Scotland), Stuart Baxter (Preston, England) and George Campbell (Aberdeen, Scotland).

Despite the massive spending spree, South Melbourne failed to win an honor, finishing in the top four.

This season Maclaren continued to spend freely, buying goalkeeper Peter Laumets (Preston, Victoria), Ken Drakeford and Tony Turner (from England).

However, South Melbourne started badly and then was floored when three competition points were taken away because of the playing of an unregistered player.

Tony Turner was the player in question.

Maclaren departed soon after a 6-0 thrashing by Marconi in Sydney.

Margaritis is the third coach of South Melbourne this season.

He knows well the Heidelberg players, and this will give him an advantage this Sunday.

Margaritis is responsible for the shaping of the Heidelberg team, and one of his biggest successes is Jim Campbell. Campbell is one of the best attacking midfielders in Australia.

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SATURDAY'S MIDDAY

100,000 mark in KB's sights

By JACK MATTHEWS

Newcastle KB United is, on present indication, certain to top more than 100,000 aggregate attendance at its home premiership matches at the International Sports Centre in the Philips League Championship.

Already, after only eight of its 12 home matches, KB United has attracted 79,559 spectators to games for an average of 9,945.

On Saturday, when Newcastle defeated APIA in a bruising match after which APIA supporters were fouled in their efforts to attack the referee, Mr Peter Ramplay, of Sydney, by the quick action of the KB

United Club's security force, there were 10,012 present. This contrasted with the attendance at a specially promoted Rugby League carnival in which two first grade fixtures were played on the one ground. Fewer than 4,000 attended.

Until the advent of KB United, Rugby League was the main football code in the

North but it has taken a hammering since Alan Vest and his players have put Soccer well and truly on the Northern sporting map.

The top crowd to watch Soccer at the International Sports Centre this season was 18,367. That was the attendance at the KB United — Sydney Olympic clash in the sixth series of premiership fixtures on April 14.

The smallest attendance was for the match against South Melbourne on March 11. Only 7091 were present that day.

Matches in which KB United has played away from home have drawn 32,514 spectators so that the team, in its 18 premiership fixtures, has played before 112,173 spectators.

This is a remarkable record for a team in only its second season in the Philips League and a tribute to the organisation and promotion which goes on behind the scenes.

It is also worth noting that the figures for away matches contain an unknown number — the KB United spectators who have followed the team to Sydney and other centres. And they are many.

The conclusion must be that the wheel has turned and that Newcastle is once again rapidly becoming the Soccer centre of Australia.

He has given plenty of advice and warning from other Newcastle youth and hopeful players who have tried to break into English or Scottish Soccer.

The first to go to England were Roy Baartz, Col Curran and Doug Jones who were sent, some seasons ago, to Manchester United by the Adamstown Rosebuds Club on a scholarship system the club founded.

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The team will not lack support and a large number of supporters will go to Brisbane by car, bus and plane for the match.

Alan Vest, the team coach, said earlier this week that he was pleased with the manner in which his players had come through the tough physical encounter with APIA last Saturday and had no real problems for the match in Brisbane.



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Arno Bertogna (left) backs up his Australian team mate Jim Tansey (number 3) as Partizan's Pavkovic is on the ball.

Marconi's loss is Villa's gain

Another Newcastle soccer hopeful of tender years is soon to leave for England in a bid to break into the big-time of professional soccer.

He is 17-year-old Brett Beves, who attends Whitebridge High School and plays with the Walsend Club.

He is off to face a trial, as a goalkeeper with Aston Villa, which is interested to the extent that it has promised the youngster a first class welcome.

He has decided to make the bid after rejecting a two-year contract with the Philips League pace-setter Marconi.

He has had a taste of soccer in the upper bracket as a member of the Newcastle KB United Youth squad in the Coca-Cola League last year.

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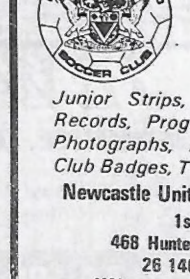
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CROATIA 5 ALBION 1

Scorers: Croatia — Murphy 21st, Cumming (2) 54th, 81st, Gardiner 68th, Glider 88th Albion — Hyne 70th.

Ground: Olympic Park, Essendon. Croatia: Blasby — Adams, Short, Kokoska, Blavier — Andrews, Gardiner — Cumming, Glider, Murphy, Paleka.

Albion: Rovers: Johnson — Hyne, McLeod, Nisbet, Thompson — Grechan (McIntyre half time), Reilly, Wark, D'Silva — Stewart, McCormack.

Albion Rovers sunk into a trough of dejection with a five goal hammering against Croatia, and there's little hope of a quick recovery.

Albion has been thrashed in its past to games with a 9-2 goal average, and has to play the top and second teams in the next two weeks.

This nightmare for the bottom-placed State League team comes after just playing Preston Macedonia (second) and Croatia (third.) This week Albion meets the rampant Macedonia, and the following week meets high-flying Frankston City.

Relegation could be decided in the next two weeks for Albion. Albion held out Croatia until the 21st minute when striker Ken Murphy powered a shot home after a goalmouth scramble.

Slavia 1 Croydon 0

Scorer: Slavia 76th

Ground: Showgrounds Crowd: nat 120

Referee: David Velland S. Cautions: Smith (C), Thompson (S)

PRAHRAN SLAVIA: McPherson 6, Thompson 7, Westley 7, Lawson 8, Cullen 7.5 — Train 8, Rimlin 7, Kinnear 7 injured (Cooke 6, 49th min) — Aldridge 8, Monaghan 8, Williams 8.

CROYDON CITY: Edwards 6 — Spink 6, McCombe 7, Pongho 6, Mohan 5.5 — Train 5, Smith 5, McKinlay 5 (Murphy 61st min Brogan 7, Hamilton 6, Wyllie 6).

Brian Monaghan and Steve Aldridge could have made names for themselves with a bag of goals against Croatia, but instead frittered away several excellent goalkeeping chances.

Monaghan set up a chance for Aldridge in the 76th minute, and finally scored, earning two points which boosted the Prahran club off the bottom of the State League.

On the showing in this game it is Croydon that looked like the bottom-placed team, not Slavia.

With this confidence-boosting win, Croydon should now pull away from the relegation zone. Monaghan and Aldridge hold the key, and must start putting easy chances into the net.

Slavia's performance was solid in a low-standard match. Prahran had more possession of the ball through out the game, and contained Croydon whenever it managed to win the ball forward.

Croydon attacks in the first half produced one corner (in the 45th minute), and one shot at goal.

The Slavia defence, led by Steve Lawson, handled well anything it had to do. In midfield, Slavia had control as Croydon was ex-existent in this department.

Joe Trent flashed in and out of the play with useful touches, but Dennis Smith and Harry McKinlay produced nothing.

Frankston 4 JUVENUS 1

Scorers: Frankston — Mitten (2) 21st, 82nd, Adams 63rd, Swincoe 69th. Juventus — Smith pen, 42nd.

FRANKSTON CITY: Peterson — V. Bannon, McCuskey, Adams, T. Young — G. Bannon, Coolson (Parrott), E. Bannon — Mitten, Swincoe, B. Young.

JUVENUS: Reilly — Sabidini, Vaughan, Della Rocca, Tarquinio — G. Lucchesi (Crino), Smith, Sabidini (J. Lucchesi) — McGinness, Gillen, Hoey.

The striking partnership of Noel Mitten and Kevin Swincoe has produced over half of Frankston's 31 goals in the State League championship, but centre half Bobby Adams has been the team's goalkeeping ace.

He has scored only three goals, but all have been vital. The first was a winner against second-placed Preston Macedonia, and then he scored the equaliser against third-placed Essendon Croatia in a 2-2 draw.

Against Juventus, Adams bobbed up to put Frankston into the lead in the 63rd minute, which turned the game in Frankston's favor. After

SUNSHINE 0 ALTONA 1

Scorer: Innes 80th.

Ground: Charles Reserve. SUNSHINE CITY: Clarke — Dixey, Ellis, Lowe, Morovic — Howe, McRobert, R. Nelson — Leung, D. Nelson, Paisley.

ALTONA CITY: van der Poel — Lewis, Campbell, Greenberg, Hird — Buckley (Delac), Whyte, J. Little — Taylor (Innes), Crow, G. Train.

Substitute Kevin Innes scored a vital winning goal 10 minutes before the end to secure two points for Altona City. Innes, who replaced the injured Bob Taylor 10 minutes before scoring the winner, collected a pass from goalkeeper Peter Clarke to force the ball home. The build up for the goal came from John Little, who received a pass from Harry Hird before hitting a hard low ball which Clarke couldn't handle.

Altona full deserved to win the match, as it dominated the play for long periods. Sunshine City struggled to make

any headway, and gave a poor performance on its home ground where it is normally hard to beat.

The star for Altona was English import Stuart Cannel, who reverted to his preferred position of centre half and gave a great exhibition. Previously he had been used as a midfielder.

His strength in the air was a feature of his play.

Whyte had a good game in midfield, and was aided by John Little. However, Whyte, along with Sunshine midfielder Rob Nelson, was booked for dissent.

Full backs Peter Lewis and Harry Hird were a driving force for Altona, but can now climb well clear of the relegation zone with a win this week against Juventus.

Goalkeeper Hans van der Poel had little to do for Altona and Sunshine is now in trouble with only one point more than bottom team Albion Rovers.

Topolanski, too

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Joining Shaya is midfielder Shraga "Topol" Topolanski, who is also an Israeli international player.

Krongold announced with great enthusiasm the impending arrival of the two Israeli guests.

"There is an air of excitement within the club, because Feigenbaum and Topolanski aren't just imports, they are TOP players," said Krongold.

Feigenbaum, 31, plays with the Hapoel club of Tel Aviv. He played against Italy, Uruguay and Sweden in the 1970 World Cup finals after playing two qualifying games against Australia in 1969.

He toured Australia in 1971 with the Israeli national side and encountered Micic. Israel played three matches against the Socceros. Results were: in Sydney 1-0 to Australia, in Brisbane 2-2 and in Melbourne 3-1 to Israel.

Feigenbaum won his first cap in 1965 and before that represented Israel at youth level.

Topolanski plays with the Betar club of Tel Aviv and



Bill Summerscales (centre) rushes back into defence with Roy Drinkwater (right).

Murray Barnes tackles Partizan's Lazic as Rodovic (left) looks on.



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Green Gully Ajax is facing disciplinary action following a crowd disturbance after the match against Hakoah St. Kilda last Saturday.

Ajax spectators are alleged to have attacked Hakoah goalkeeper Mike O'Hara because of an incident involving him and Green Gully forward David Perkins.

Ajax in trouble

O'Hara clashed heavily with Perkins when going for the ball, and Perkins ended up with a broken nose and broken ribs.

The injury was caused by accident, but some Ajax fans

suspected O'Hara had deliberately fouled Perkins.

The matter will be looked into by the Victorian Soccer Federation, and Ajax risks a fine over the incident.

O'Hara was allegedly attacked in the players' race after the game, but players from both teams quickly protected him.

AJAX 1 HAKOAH 1

Scorers: Hakoah: Rooney 57th; Ajax: Klarin - 41st.

Ground: Green Gully Reserve
GREEN GULLY AJAX: Denys, Donaldson, Carr, Patten, Cully, Thomson, Vojtek, Vasko, Butler (Perkins), Klus, Pavlenko.
HAKOAH ST KILDA: O'Hara, Owen, Baker, Hesse, Rakovals (S.Nigel), Caddy, Rigby, Givens, Ramsey, L. Nye, Loh.

In a game marred by a near gale-force wind, Hakoah St. Kilda salvaged a point, but was further hit by injury. Nick Rakovals played only 10 minutes before having to be replaced by Sander Nagy. Rakovals pulled a muscle.

Before the game, coach Frank Micic had to make last-minute changes after a telephone call to the ground informed him that midfielder Bill Jordani was ill and would not play.

At present, Hakoah is without the services of seven players - Stuart Blair, Gerry Edmondson, John Daperis (unavailable), Graham French, Colin Allison, Nick Rakovals (injured) and Bill Jordani, who may recover in time for this week's game against Sunshine City.

Hakoah started the match against the wind, and made some enterprising attacks. David Butler was playing an intelligent game as sweeper, and was Mike O'Hara handling the ball with extreme confidence in goals. Hakoah had a tight rearguard.

But after the interval, Green Gully was the better team, and with captain/coach Billy Vojtek playing a commanding game in midfield, the Ajax boys looked good.

Green Gully the front after half time when Micic Klarin robbed Anton Dozen, who held onto the ball too long, and the Gully forward slammed the ball home.

Green Gully was playing well enough to go on and win the game, but a defensive mistake once again brought a goal. Goalkeeper Lou Denys rushed off his line to intercept a diagonal ball, but succeeded only to spill the ball into the path of the waiting Sean Rooney, who had the simple task of scoring.

MAKEDONIA 4 GEO. CROSS 0

Scorers: Ward 2nd, 32nd, Cullen 5th, McMillan 63rd.

Ground: B.T. Connor Reserve
PRESTON MAKEDONIA: Clayton - Rainey, Garthwaite, Higham, Beech (Faulkner) - Petrovski, Flaville, Lashburn - Cullen, McMillan, Ward.
GEORGE CROSS: Matson - Runc, Maitland, Hooper, Barron - Wilson, Castello (Cowan half time), Bernard - Mitzi, Morgan, Peppers.

Any team facing Preston Makedonia must weather an early blitzing attack if a good result is to be achieved. Most of Makedonia's best victories have been achieved after a whirlwind start which knocks the opposition rotten.

Essendon Croatia copied two goals in the first 10 minutes and went down 2-1 in the end. Albion Rovers suffered an early goal, and then was 3-0 down by half time. Green Gully was 2-0 down after two minutes and eventually lost 5-1 and George Cross was 2-0 down after five minutes and lost 4-0.

With such explosive players as George McMillan, Robert Cullen and Gary Ward, Makedonia always starts in a rush, but any team which can see out this danger period is half way to victory.

George Cross was lucky not to be 3-0 down after eight minutes because Gary Ward missed a penalty which was saved by Svez Matson.

However, Matson undid his good work in the 32nd minute when he conceded a soft goal to Ward, whose header looked anything but dangerous.

The match was all but over at the interval, and the only uncertain aspect was how many goals Makedonia would win by.

George McMillan added the fourth and last goal of the game in the 63rd minute when he converted after good play from Robert Cullen.

Cullen has been in great form recently, but Preston coach Tony Vrzina is worried he may be overdoing the generosity towards team mates. Often Cullen will be in a position to score, but passes to a team mate who may not be in such a good position to score.

George Cross certainly has troubles, and defence must be the area Dave MacLaren will try to improve. Jim Paparas gave a reasonable display in attack, but apart from that George looked a class below Preston Makedonia.

Coach hits out at Cumming

Albion Rovers coach Bill McArthur has accused referees of giving undue protection to Essendon Croatia's star striker Tommy Cumming.

McArthur spoke angrily of the "favoritism" towards Cumming after the pint-sized forward had scored two goals against Albion, one of which was clearly offside in the Albion coach's opinion.

Cumming is getting protection from referees because he is an international player," said McArthur. "His reputation in Victorian soccer seems to override the referees."

He is getting away with fouls that other players get called up for, and it seemed every time a defender went near Cumming, the referee spoiled a foul."

McArthur's complaint echoes that of many so-called "unfashionable" clubs, which claim referees look after the top clubs and the top players.

Facts show Cumming is, in a way, a favorite of referees. Last season he was a runaway winner of the Rothmans Medal, which he deserved to win, but the large margin in the voting probably wasn't justified after Cumming's form deteriorated rather drastically in the second half of the season.

However, Essendon Croatia manager Frank Harin denies Cumming is over-protected, but admitted referees do make considerations for players like him.

"Soccer is a game of skill, and players with exceptional skill are rare and are needed in the game," said Harin. "Players like Cumming need protection, or soccer will be reduced to purely a physical game."

Cumming produces superhuman efforts to ride tackles, and take all the kicking that comes his way. He deserves to be protected."

The spotlight will be on Cumming this week as Essendon Croatia has its last fling to stay in the running for the league championship. The

champion challenges Frankston City at McClelland Drive this Sunday.

Frankston City, five points clear at the top, is in the box seat against Essendon Croatia, which must press forward and win the game convincingly.

With the Frankston defence proving to be a tight unit, and strikers Noel Mitten and Kevin Swincoe making the most of half chances, Croatia could fall into the trap of going forward and being caught on the break.

The 4-2-4 formation used by coach Brian Fidgeley leaves Croatia vulnerable in defence, and suspect to counter attacks.

For Fidgeley, the Frankston match could be D-Day, as the Croatia club doesn't tolerate failure. On the other hand, sources close to the club have said Fidgeley will stop down if he can't lift the team.

Frankston is forced to make changes because Fanna Banton left for Scotland yesterday (Tuesday) after a guest player spell.

The likely reshuffle in the Frankston team will be Tony Young from full back to Banton's midfield post, and Alan Parrott into the team at full back.

Frankston coach Freddy Buncie will consider Alex Tulloch, who had a chance to prove himself in a practice game against Ringwood City last night.

Croatia and Frankston are both in form after big wins last weekend, but Frankston has too much running in its favor to slip in this game. A draw is a likely result, which will help Preston Makedonia, four points behind Frankston in second place.

Makedonia's Gary Ward may miss this week's game against Albion on Saturday, but Jeff Faulkner will come back into the team. Albion has plenty of worries, and

could receive another hiding from Makedonia.

George Cross takes on Prahran Slavia at Olympic Park on Saturday, and will lose to the Prahran club.

Slavia, with Brian Monaghan, Steve Aldridge and Jim Williams playing well in attack, will avenge a defeat it received two weeks ago.

George Cross coach Dave MacLaren may make more changes, but regardless, Slavia is playing well above the form its lowly position indicates.

Green Gully Ajax has gone five games without defeat, and could extend that good run with a result against struggling Croydon City. Croydon is hard to beat at its home ground, and this should level things out with the points shared.

Altona City won a vital clash against rival Sunshine City last week, and will further move up the ladder if it can defeat Juventus at Kinn Reserve on Sunday.

However, Juve's forward line of Tony Heery, George Gillan and Bobby McGuinness is a strong combination, and could be enough to earn Juve two points.

Hakoah St Kilda at Middle Park is no easy game, and bolstered by Israeli imports Shaya Feigenbaum and Topol, Topoliansky, Frank Micic's team could take both points, Kyle Patterson.

SATURDAY

Hakoah v Sunshine.

George Cross v Slavia.

Albion v Makedonia.

SUNDAY

Altona v Juventus.

Croydon v Green Gully.

Frankston v Croatia.

Voting

This week's votes in the "Soccer Action" — General Tourist Travel State League player of the year award:

SLAVIA v CROYDON
3 Monaghan (S)
2 Lawson (S)
1 Aldridge (S)

SUNSHINE v ALTONA
3 Cannell (A)
2 Whyte (A)
1 Hird (A)

MAKEDONIA v GEO. CROSS
3 Cullen (M)
2 McMillan (M)
1 Ward (M)
AJAX v HAKOAH
3 Vojtek (A)
2 O'Hara (H)
1 Baker (H)

FRANKSTON v JUVENTUS
3 McGuinness (J)
2 Adams (F)
1 McCluskey (F)

CROATIA v ALBION
3 Cumming (C)
2 Gilder (C)
1 Murphy (C)

Leading votegetters —
19 Cullen (Frank)
12 Young (Franks)
12 Williams (Slav)
11 Whyte (Alt), Loh (Hak), Ellis (Sun)
10 D'Silva (Alb), Gilder, Cumming (Croat), Aldridge (Slav)
9 Klarin, Vojtek (Ajax), C. Lucchesi (Juve)
8 Adams (Franks), French (Hak), Tarquinio (Juve)
Leading goalscorers
12 Ward (Mak)
10 Gilder (Croat)
9 Mitten (Franks)
8 Swincoe (Franks)
6 Cumming (Croat), McMillan (Mak), Loh (Hak)
5 Murphy (Croat), Cullen (Mak), C. Lucchesi (Juve)



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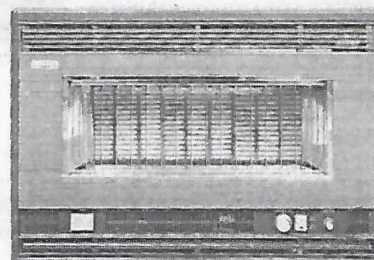
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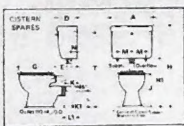
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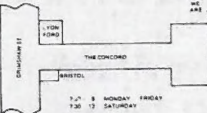
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HUGH ROBINSON, coach, born in Scotland, position sweeper or midfield. Arrived in Australia in 1964, having played for Lanarkshire Schoolboys and Ballinastion Amateurs. Played for Malleonic (Brisbane) and Pan Hellenic (Sydney) before moving on to Melbourne's Park Rangers and Heidelberg. Came to 'Boro in '73 and has rarely missed a game since. This year he is the team coach and would rather coach from the side than play.



COLIN NORRIS, born 29-11-58 in Australia, position fullback-centre half. Big Col came to 'Boro as a boy from the now defunct Plenty club. Tall, strong and commanding in the air, his presence at the back makes 'Boro's defence hard to penetrate. Represented Victoria as an U/15 and won 'Boro's best team player award in 1977.



GARY STAFFORD, born 17-6-57 in U.K. (Manchester), position midfield or striker. Started soccer at Watsons S.C. before coming to G'boro club. Best and fairest 1969. League best and fairest 1969. Went to Melbourne U/14. 1971 - best and fairest again. Victorian U/14 State squad 1971. Regular for Melbourne reserves at age 15. Played for Caulfield City for a season when 18. Came back to 'Boro '76, has had two leg operations, but is now back in the first team and leading goalscorer.



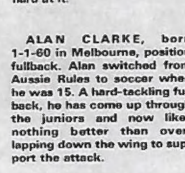
DAVID PAYNE, born 18-7-48 in U.K., position goalkeeper. Big Dave learned his soccer in the U.K. with teams like Shoppey Utd and Tonbridge. He has representative honours with North Kent and Kent Schoolboys, Sidcup and District League and the Orpington and Bromley League. One of the safest keepers in the league, David bolies his size by the agility he displays. This year Dave is president of Greensborough and works hard at it.



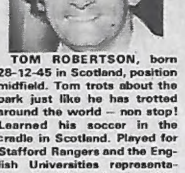
PAUL MARUFF, born 29-12-59 in Melbourne, position midfield-fullback. Paul is an all-round sportsman who changed to soccer from Aussie Rules when he was 15. Bouncing, squashing, running - he's done it all. He ran the marathon in 2 hours 50 min. when he was 16 - a real iron man!! He also represented Victoria at handball in 1977. Joined the 'Boro juniors five years ago, and is a first team regular.



BRENDON BASS, born 21-4-58 in Australia, position midfield/striker. Product of the Greensboro Juniors, Brendon is very fast and hard to stop on the break. Represented Victoria at U/15 and U/16 levels. His sister Shona went on better by representing Australia as well!!



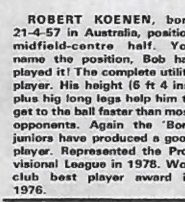
ALAN CLARKE, born 1-1-60 in Melbourne, position fullback. Alan switched from Aussie Rules to soccer when he was 15. A hard-tackling full back, he has come up through the juniors and now likes nothing better than overlapping down the wing to support the attack.



TOM ROBERTSON, born 28-12-45 in Scotland, position midfield. Tom trots about the park just like he has trotted around the world - not stop!! Learned his soccer in the cradle in Scotland. Played for Stafford Rangers and the English Universities representative side. His work moves him about a lot and he has played in Malaysia for Selangor, in Thailand for the Royal Bangkok Sports Club, and in the Singapore First Division for Changi and Singapore Cricket Club. Came to 'Boro in 1978 and has commanded a first team place ever since.



DARRYL BEER, born 6-6-59 in Australia, position midfield-striker. 'Dazzler' has worked his way up from the juniors and is now a valued member of the first team squad. A tireless worker in midfield who gives 110 per cent every game. Best player award winner in 1978. Represented the Provisional League in 1978.



ROBERT KEENEN, born 21-4-57 in Australia, position midfield-centre half. You name the position, Bob has played it! The complete utility player. His height (6 ft 4 in) plus his long legs help him to get to the ball faster than most opponents. Again the 'Boro juniors have produced a good player. Represented the Provisional League in 1976. Won club best player award in 1976.



COLIN WILLIAMS, born 16-2-49 in Sydney, position midfield. Joined 'Boro this year. He learned his soccer with the Bankstown junior club in Sydney, representing Sydney Juniors for two years and playing for the N.S.W. U/16 team. His senior football in Sydney was with Melita Eagles.



ALAN MCGILP, born 8-3-51 in Scotland, position striker. 'The Bear' arrived in Australia in 1966. He played with Heidelberg, went to Alexander for 18 months and then returned to Heidelberg. Came to G'boro in 1976. His thunderous shot and ability to bend a ball are priceless. He also produces the 'Boro Bulletin'.

... and the ladies show the way

Put together a birthday party car ride, a folded soccer club, a meeting on the school house steps, two men's love of soccer and 10 years of hard work and what do you get? The answer is a thriving Victorian soccer club by the name of Greensborough.

It all started when Roy Streeters' son Alan had a birthday party in 1968. While mum cleared up after the party, Roy took the boys for a car ride and happened to pass a ground where a junior game was in progress.

Being a soccer fanatic himself, he was amazed that the boys knew nothing about the game.

He set about organising the group of boys, gave them some training and arranged a few friendly games to give them practice.

In early 1969 he got together some interested parents with the idea of forming the Greensborough Soccer Club.

The inaugural meeting was to be held in the local State school but the caretaker had gone out for the evening and failed to leave the keys so the meeting was held on the school steps (it was a warm night).

Present at the meeting was Les Stafford who was representing the just-folded Watsons S.C.

He offered some players, equipment, a home ground (Willinda Park) and his own experience.

The offer was accepted and the Greensborough club came into being with Roy as secretary and Les as president.

In the 10 years since that first meeting a lot of people have worked hard to make 'The Boro' the thriving club that it is today, with nine junior teams, a ladies' team and three senior teams.

After the first season when they started with one (U/12) team (and finished with two) the club built up the number of teams each year.

At the start of the 1973 season it was realized that the older boys would have to have a senior team to go to so the club entered one in the District League.

In that first season the senior team finished in third place and the Reserves finished on top of the ladder and also reached the final of the District League Reserves Cup.

The young lads went down 2-1 in the final against a more experienced Nunawading Utd.

In 1974 it was the seniors' turn to reach the final of the District League Cup where they lost to Mitcham 2-1 in extra time after a thrilling game.

In 74 and 75 the senior side was always near the top at seasons end and in 1976, finished as champion of its league.

The reserves did the club proud by winning the league for four years in a row (1973-1976 inclusive) which was a pretty good feat by a team of mainly 17 and 18-year-olds!

A ladies' team was formed in 1974 and was soon into top gear. Since the teething troubles of the first season the girls have not looked back, being the premier ladies team in Victoria. They make a habit of winning everything. Cups, pennants, shields, lightning premiership, five-a-side-competitions - you name it, they've won it!

From their ranks comes half the Victorian State ladies' squad. Players like Shona Bass, Andrea Martin, Jeanette Meier, Sandra Kemp and Betty Hoare have all represented Victoria and some of them have even made it into the Australian team.

The club is proud of its ladies but has one complaint - it has not enough room in which to put all the trophies they have won!!

In 1977 the Provisional League was reorganised by the V.S.F. and Greensborough was elevated from District League to the First Division.

Best wishes to Greensborough S.C. Good luck for the future.

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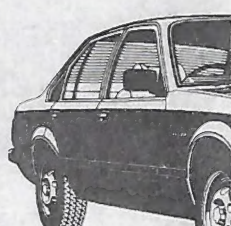
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Top forward for Greensborough — coach Hugh Robinson (right) the signing of Joe Ahonyi, who transferred from Moreland. Joe is Ahonyi's brother.



Conquering Greensborough ladies team (left to right) back row - C. Hamlet, S. Kemp, C. Delio, A. Squilluchute, G. Pinchbeck, C. Alvey. Front row - C. Saldatos, A. Martin, S. Bass, J. Melvin, J. Hamlet, T.



Back to 1969 — Gary Stafford (left) receives the first best and fairest award from Kevin Gillespie, member of Greensborough.

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From the ratings, we have classified the top four players in each position, in order.

Marconi, Brisbane City and Sydney City each has six players among the top 44.

Club representation is:

6. Marconi, Sydney City, Brisbane City.
4. South Melbourne.
3. Sydney Olympic, Canberra City, Adelaide City, Heidelberg, APIA.
2. West Adelaide, Newcastle KB Utd.
1. Brisbane Lions, St George, Footscray.

The top four, in each position, (with JAT ratings before last weekend's round) are:

GOALKEEPERS

1. Martyn Crook (West Adelaide) 7.8
2. Greg Woodhouse (APIA) 7.58
3. Gary Meier (Sydney Olympic) 7.3
4. Todd Clarke (Sydney City) 7.5

RIGHT BACKS

1. Steve Perry (Brisbane City) 7.69
2. Mike Pye (South Melbourne) 7.66
3. David Ratcliffe (Brisbane City) 7.5
4. Danny Moulis (Canberra) 7.2

SWEEPERS

1. Ivo Prskalo (Marconi) 7.76
2. George Potter (Brisbane City) 7.71
3. Jim Hermiston (Brisbane Lions) 7.64
4. Eddie Thomson (Sydney City) 7.6

STOPPERS

1. Jim Muir (Adelaide City) 7.8
2. Steve O'Connor (Sydney City) 7.7
3. Ritchie Bell (Sydney Olympic) 7.6
4. Roy Starke (Canberra City) 7.53

LEFT BACK

1. Alan Davidson (South Melbourne) 7.53
2. Warren Turnbull (APIA) 7.45
3. Bill Wilkinson (Brisbane City) 7.4
4. Ian Bruce (Sydney City) 7.3

DEFENSIVE MIDFIELDER

1. Garry Byrne (Marconi) 7.6
2. Frank Pimblett (Brisbane City) 7.13
3. Pat Bannon (Heidelberg) 7.1
4. John Stevenson (Sydney City) 7.0

MIDFIELD GENERAL

1. Tony Henderson (Marconi) 7.6
2. Rosario Rampanti (APIA) 7.5
3. Jimmy Rooney (Heidelberg) 7.5
4. Peter Boyle (West Adelaide) 7.2

ATTACKING MIDFIELDER

1. Peter Raskopoulos (Sydney Olympic) 7.6
2. John Davies (Canberra City) 7.5
3. Eddie Krncevic (Marconi) 7.42
4. Larry Gaffney (Brisbane City) 7.39

RIGHT STRIKER

1. Phil O'Connor (St George) 7.4
2. Joe Watson (Sydney City) 7.38
3. John Nyskohus (Adelaide City) 7.3
4. Graham Heys (Newcastle KB United) 7.25

CENTRAL STRIKER

1. Mark Jankovics (Marconi) 7.9
2. Ken Boden (Newcastle KB United) 7.33
3. Dixie Deans (Adelaide City) 7.3
4. Alun Evans (South Melbourne) 7.26

LEFT STRIKER

1. Peter Sharne (Marconi) 7.7
2. Banko Buljevic (Heidelberg) 7.5
3. Zdravko Lujic (Footscray) 7.3
4. George Campbell (South Melbourne) 7.0

There are a few areas that require clarification. Brisbane City has two right backs among the top four — Steve Perry and David Ratcliffe. The latter played some games on the right and some as centre back but has been listed as a right back because no-one came close to his ratings in that position.

The three midfield classifications overlap, as do the functions of the midfielders themselves. John Stevenson, for example, has been listed as a defensive midfielder, mainly because his rating gets him among the top four in that position, whereas it is too low for the other two classifications. The same goes for Frank Pimblett.

Only those eligible for the JAT award have been considered.

Taking the top man in each position, our all-star line-up for the first half of the season is:

Martyn CROOK			
Steve PERRY	Ivo PRSKALO	Jim MUIR	Alan DAVIDSON
Garry BYRNE	Tony HENDERSON	Peter RASKOPOULOS	
Phil O'CONNOR	Mark JANKOVICS	Peter SHARNE	



St George winger Phil O'Connor stretches to bring down the ball ahead of Mike Pye.



Jim Muir



Peter Sharne of Marconi is tackled by Peter Ollerton in a game against Footscray.



Goalkeeper Martyn Crook of West Adelaide punches away from Heidelberg's Pat Bannon.



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GOALKEEPERS

1. Peter CLARKE (Suns)
2. Mike O'HARA (Hak)
3. Frank PETERSEN (Franks)

- Bill JOHNSON (Albion)
- Mick EDWARDS (Croy)
- Svez MATSON (Geo. Cross)

RIGHT BACKS

1. Jimmy SPINK (Croy)
2. Peter LEWIS (Alt)
- Gerry EDMONDSON (Hak)
3. Mike RAINEY (Mak)

LEFT BACKS

1. Tony YOUNG (Franks)
2. Fausto TARQUINIO (Juve)
3. Steve BEECH (Mak)
- Paul WADE (Slavia)
- George TRAIN (Alt)

CENTRE HALVES

1. Steve ELLIS (Suns)



Mike D'Sylva (Albion Rovers)

2. Bobby ADAMS (Franks)
3. Steve KOKOSKA (Cro)

SWEEPERS

1. Alan PONGHO (Croy)
2. Steve SHORT (Cro)
3. Gary HOOPER (Geo. Cross)

DEFENSIVE MIDFIELDERS

1. Ged BANNON (Franks)
2. Robbie NELSON (Suns)
3. Ljube PETROVSKI (Mak)

MIDFIELD GENERALS

1. Billy WHYTE (Alt)
2. Billy VOJTEK (Ajax)
3. Keith WEBSTER (Franks)

ATTACKING MID-FIELDERS

1. Mike D'SYLVIA (Alb)
2. Claude LUCCHESI (Juve)
3. Jeff FAULKNER (Mak)

RIGHT WING STRIKERS

1. Robert CULLEN (Mak)
2. Mike LOH (Hak)
3. Tommy CUMMING (Cro)

CENTRAL STRIKERS

1. Steve ALDRIDGE (Slavia)
2. Carl GILDER (Cro)

- Graham FRENCH (Hak)
3. Noel MITTEN (Franks)

LEFT WING STRIKERS

1. Jim WILLIAMS (Slavia)
2. Dave NELSON (Suns)
3. Gary WARD (Mak)
- Tony HEERY (Juve)

UTILITY PLAYERS

1. Mick KLARIN (Ajax)
2. Harry HIRD (Alt)
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Frankston's Ged Bannon slide-tackles Willie Vassallo of Ajax.



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Stan Munro and, behind him, the stage version.



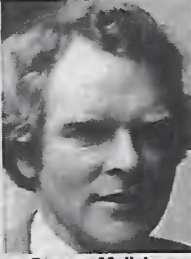
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Performers take on past stars

Soccer stars of the past will meet show biz stars of the present in a charity match at Middle Park on Sunday.

The game, which starts at 1 pm, is the curtain-raiser to the South Melbourne v Heidelberg PSL clash.

Collections for Yooralla will be made while the game is in progress.

Female impersonator Stan Munro, pop show compere Ian 'Molly' Meldrum and singer Tony Pantano are among the players in the show biz team.

The possible starters include singer John St. Peters, actor George Mallaby and news reader Arthur Higgins.

The other team will feature Press men as well as former star players.

The team includes: CEDO CIRKOVIC, coach of Melbourne, former coach and player of Footscray U.S.T.

DUNCAN MCKAY, coach of South Melbourne Hellas, former coach of Victoria, Green Gully and Essendon Croatia, former player with Glasgow Rangers, Scotland and Croatia.

STEVE WALKER, assistant coach of Hellas, former star defender with Lions, Hellas, Juventus and Victoria.

MILENKO RUSMIR, assistant coach and former player of J.U.S.T., who has coached Juventus, Keilor-Austria, Hakoah.

JIM ADAM, former coach of APIA, Heidelberg, Hakoah, Macedonia, Melbourne and Croatia, former player with Hellas, Australia, Luton Town, Aston Villa and Stoke.

BOBBY MCLACHLAN, coach of JUST and former coach of Juventus, Macedonia, Sunshine, Albion Rovers and Brighton, played with APIA, Croatia, George Cross and Box Hill and was coach of the Australian Schoolboys team that went to the U.S. last year.

BOB BRIAN, soccer writer of 'The Herald'.

LAURIE SCHWAB, editor of 'Soccer Action' and soccer writer for 'The Age'.

JIM BARKER, soccer writer of 'The Sun', formerly with the 6-10 network.

STAN STACEY, former George Cross player who writes for 'The Herald'.

MANOS MILIOS, player-coach of Provisional League club Hawthorn and soccer writer with 'Hellenic Herald' and 'Soccer Action'.

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Bobby McLachlan — as a goalkeeper?



Duncan McKay — played for Scotland.



• The 1974 Soccerroos who reached the World Cup finals in West Germany, from left, back row: Les Schoenflug (assistant coach), Ernie Campbell, Ivo Rudic, Adrian Alston, Peter Wilson, John Watkiss, Branko Buljevic, Rale Rasic (coach). Middle row: Manfred Schaefer, Ray Richards, Attila Abonyi, Doug Utjenovic, Ray Baartz, Harry Williams. Front row: Johnny Warren, Col Curran, Jim Fraser, Jim Milisavljevic, Jimmy Mackay, Jimmy Rooney.



• The 1969 Soccerroos, from left, top row: Les Bordacs (manager), Alan Marmoch, John Watkiss, Stan Ackerley, George Keith, Tom Patrick (official), Joe Vlasits (coach). Middle row: Dr. Brian Corrigan (team physician), Ron Corry, Gary Manuel, David Zeman, Don Sandell, Ray Baartz, Jim Fraser, Brian Le Fevre (ASF secretary). Front: John Perin, Billy Vojtek, Attila Abonyi, Johnny Warren, Willie Rutherford, Danny Walsh, Joe Alagic, Tommy McColl.

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Four of the greatest players to have opposed Australia, from left — Mimis Papaioannou of Greece, Franz Beckenbauer of West Germany, Pele of FC Santos and Dusan Savic of Red Star Belgrade.

Cirkovic for Kontra

Former Footscray J.U.S.T. coach Cedo Cirkovic last week replaced Ken Kontra as coach of Victorian First Division team Melbourne.

Kontra announced he and Melbourne had parted company by mutual agreement.

He said Melbourne had made an excellent choice in appointing Cirkovic as the new coach.

"I have the highest regard for Cirkovic as a coach and as a person," Kontra said.

Cirkovic quit J.U.S.T. recently after seven years as its coach.

Kontra said Melbourne's results this year had been disappointing but that he stayed with the club to help it over the worst period.

"The team was hit very hard by injuries," he said. "Things will improve now that some of the players have recovered."

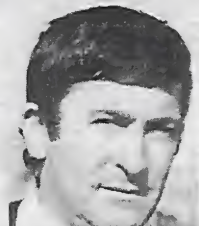
"Billy Rae, our chief goalscorer of 1978, is back after missing most of the season and Paul Drinoczky returns after being out for six weeks with a bad ankle."

"Steve Jurina, an outstanding player, has had only three games this year due to torn stomach muscles and Mick Brazil, who joined this season, has had cartilage trouble."

"But with the return of Rae



Ken Kontra



Cedo Cirkovic

and Drinoczky, Melbourne should start climbing up the ladder.

"Rae will provide the team with goalscoring power. That's all it has lacked, for it has lost only one game by more than a goal that was to Collingwood, 0-2.

"My objective when I took over Melbourne was to gain promotion from Second Division. We achieved that objective. The next aim was to consolidate our position in the First Division, and there is no doubt that Melbourne will do so."

This has been Kontra's 18th season in coaching. He said: "I lately it has been a bit of a struggle, time-wise, especially since I also coach the Croydon under 15s."

"These lads, incidentally, are unbeaten. Among them is Andrew Kontra, Ken's son."

Kontra started as player-coach of Ferntree Gully. He has since coached St. Albans, Moreland, Slavia, Melbourne and Ringwood City.

He was Victorian State coach in 1971 and was for six years Director of Coaching for the Victorian Soccer Coaches Federation of which he is a founder member.

"I'll have a bit of a break before deciding what to do next," he said. "I have specialised over the years in trying to build something out of nothing. It was always by choice that I took over clubs where heavy team building was necessary because I regarded it as a challenge."

"However, I will now take a different road, for what I have been doing is too tiring in the long run because of the continuous pressure you are under. Next time I hope to join a club where I can buy a few players to make life a little easier."

SCORES AND TABLES

Don Allan to the rescue

STATE LEAGUE									
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MELITA EAGLES 3 (Allan 2, J. Farrugia)	MANLY 2 (Chapman, Townsend)	AUBURN 1 (Tim MARRICKVILLE OLYMPIC 0							

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Kuringai	3	7	5	17	24	13			
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Bankstown	5	3	7	16	18	13			
Toongabbie	4	4	6	20	23	12			
Arncliffe	3	4	8	14	26	10			
Manly	3	2	9	13	21	8			
Yugal	2	2	10	11	27	6			

Leading scorers--
17 Valeri (IM), Abonyi (Cr), Allan (ME)
11 Savor (Cr), Montgomery (Aub)
8 Fisher (Aub), Beggs (Suth), Ramisch (MO), Daly (Bank)
6 Firrell (KRG)
5 T. Morsello (IM), Djuricic (AV), Sullivan (Cr), Siley (AS), Giampaolo (IM), Jack (Man), Kovacic (Cr), Brown (MO), 4 Young (AV), Kodar (AV), R. Farrugia (ME), Stoddard (Suth), Tracey (AS), Heywood (IM), Harding (Too), Goose (AS), J. Morsello (Y), Patterson (IM)

NSW State League

Melita Eagles overcame a two-goal deficit to score a fighting 3-2 victory over Manly at Garside Park.

Manly surprised, scoring two quick goals in the space of one minute.

Greg Chapman gave Manly the lead in the 25th minute, tapping the ball into the net from six metres from the pass by David Jack.

A minute later George Townsend made it 2-0 when he gave a hard drive from eight metres into the net following a corner kick.

Spearheaded by centre forward Don Allan, Melita stormed into action late in the first half.

They reduced the lead in the 40th minute, Allan heading into the net from a free kick by Joe Farrugia.

Allan made the second goal in the 71st minute for Melita when he crossed the ball to Joe Farrugia, who smashed it into the net from about 15 metres.

With only nine minutes to go, Allan struck again, this time with a superb header from 12 metres following a corner, to seal the Melita victory.

Second placed Monaro gave their finals hopes a boost, cruising to a 4-1 victory over Parramatta City at Queensland.

Parramatta opened the scoring in the seventh minute when Ian Barker unexpectedly drove the ball past the Monaro keeper, Laurie Palec.

Monaro, however, played the more enterprising football and seven minutes later State League top scorer Walter Valeri fired a low dipping shot into visitors' net for the equaliser.

This goal inspired Monaro and just three minutes later a Valeri cross found Sebastian Giampaolo who eluded his full-back, Peter Bigland and he stroked the ball into the goal.

The second half was only six minutes old when Monaro's Joe Salton collected the ball in the midfield and played it through to Valeri who, without changing stride, calmly slotted the ball past the hapless Parramatta goalkeeper.

Sutherland made hard work of defeating Yugal 2-0 at Mona Park.

Sutherland gave a disjointed performance and seldom did their defence and attack link together, despite having players of the calibre of John Stoddard, Steve Meades and Bob Smith in the middle.

The altered Yugal tried to exploit the midfield and kept the Sutherland defence working hard to keep their line intact.

It was left to the veteran players, such as John Watkins to put Sutherland into the lead when he was perfectly positioned to head home a cross from the right wing, laid on by Bob Smith in the 31st minute.

Yugal stuck to their task and kept the pressure on Sutherland and were disappointed to have a penalty appeal turned down by the referee.

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Philips stays

From page one

The PSL will seek sponsorship for the national youth league but the clubs are willing to meet travel costs themselves if necessary.

Any doubt about Philips Industries maintaining its sponsorship of the PSL was apparently dispelled by a Philips executive at the Council of Clubs meeting.

The rule on suspension will be tightened up as a result of the meeting.

Suspension incurred in future Philips League matches will be served in Philips League fixtures, Top Four or Philips Cup only, and not in internationals or subsidiary matches.

Clubs expressed concern at the effect of the possible tour by AEK from August 12-19.

"We co-operated with the Norwich City and Partizan tours, and do not agree to further disruption of the competition," league manager John Frank said.

A view from the junior ranks

WITH LEIF JENSEN

Last week we looked at proper dress of soccer players. This week we will move on to the coaching of boys, and how we can make our coaching sessions more professional.

Again it starts with the coach, remembering that they are the people who can produce players with a professional outlook, but should not "kill" the enjoyment that they should experience from playing soccer.

Try to keep in mind that there is a CORRECT and INCORRECT way of doing things, and it will take a little longer to show players the CORRECT way rather than the INCORRECT way.

However the job of correcting "bad habits" or INCORRECT ways, when a becomes a long and tedious job, and in some cases an impossible task.

Where will we find a senior coach who will have the time, or for that matter, can be bothered to spend a lot of time on a "bad habit" player, when he can recruit a player who has the "pro" outlook, and works the CORRECT way?

What I am trying to say is this: that if you are spending time planning your session, as this is all part of your job.

You may only be coaching your lads for three hours a week, so at least plan it so that the boys learn something in that time, and please plan it so it will be varied and interesting. If you do this you will have more willing learners.

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Rasic's men aim for double

ADELAIDE CITY 5 AZZURRI 0, Phillips Cup.

Scorers - J. Nyskohus 30, 46, Deans 32, Marwe 37, B. Nyskohus 44.

Ground: Hindmarsh Stadium.

Crowd: 3,000.

Sent Off: Manolev (Azzurri).

Referee: Tony Beazleigh.

ADELAIDE CITY: Marshall 7, Russell 8, Perin 7, (Isael) 8, B. Nyskohus 7, (Signorelli) 8, Muzia 7, Marwe 7, Villani 7, Kant 7, Deans 8, J. Nyskohus 8.

AZZURRI: Boehnke 5, Michelen 6, Moschis 6, Alder 6, Marusic 6, Corti 5, White 6, Lenson 5, Inanance 6, Manolev 6, Smytho 6.

Adelaide City, pressing hard for the PSL-Phillips Cup double, destroyed Azzurri 5-0 in their cup quarter final at Hindmarsh Stadium last Wednesday night.

Rale Rasic's men buried Azzurri in a first-half avalanche of goals to illustrate the gap between the Phillips and State Leagues.

City began cautiously and Azzurri almost punished it in the fifth minute when Vic Smythe, the classiest SA striker outside of the PSL, merely cleared two defenders but just when he seemed certain to score from five metres he completely missed the ball.

John Nyskohus began the rout in the 30th minute when he clipped Mick Moschis' tackle and cracked a 20 metre right foot shot past Boehnke.

Two minutes later Dixie Deans was on the spot to side-foot the ball over the line for the second goal.

Azzurri's resistance lasted for just five more minutes until Robert Marwe headed majestically from a Deans cross.

The goal was Marwe's third in as many matches.

Bugsy Nyskohus scored his first goal for the club when he moved upfield to blast a 30 metre shot which clipped the crossbar and rocketed into the back of the net.

John Nyskohus completed the destruction a minute after the break when he calmly slotted the ball past Boehnke who had raced off his line.

Ten minutes later Azzurri midfielder star Chris Manolev was sent off after clashing with Marwe.

Rasic took off Bugsy Nyskohus and sent on Luci Signorelli and made several positional changes but Azzurri couldn't cut the lead.

Azzurri was totally outclassed but its defence did hold the PSL pace setters for the first half hour and goalkeeper Boehnke and defender Moschis erred in two of the goals.

-MENO TOUTSIDIS

Taylor's farewell

Jimmy Rooney took the corner kick, Bob Provan headed it but Vick Bonzanic cleared off the line.

Heidelberg was in full command as a header by Buljevic put Cole through for a shot but West Adelaide's reliable sweeper Ken Kambas smothered it.

At the other end, Graeme Norris broke away on the left but Yzendoron raced with him and blocked Norris' shot.

Buljevic made it 1-0 with his left foot after a short pass from Paton in the 26th minute and Paton almost made it 2-0 moments later.

The former Slavia striker raced goalwards on a long lift from Campbell. David Jones net to make the score 1-1.

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ran with Paton and kept ahead of the little striker but at the edge of the box, Jones let the ball go for Crook who was advancing. Paton darted onto the ball from behind Jones, and speared it low past Crook but watched in agony as the ball bounced off the bottom of the post.

The South Australians pulled themselves together and improved dramatically. Fifteen minutes after the interval Reynolds crossed from the right. Graeme Honymann headed the ball down and Kosmina, on the turn, rammed it first-time into the net to make the score 2-1.

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The Victorian Leagues

FIRST DIVISION

WESTERN SUBURBS 2 (Czapanik 5th, Papaioannou 33rd) **DUVETON 1** (Thurlow 84th).

WESTERN SUBURBS 1 — Midanidis 7 — Kypritidis 7.5, Jaworski 7, Parkin 6, Dapich — McCarthy 8, Moore 5, Czapanik 5.5, Theodoridis 4, Pocock 7, Papaioannou 6.

DUVETON — Ivanoff 6 — Merrick 7, Kingsley 6, Thurlow 7, McConville 7 — Murray 5, Bray 5, Bentley 5.5 — Smith 4, Irvine 6, Roderick 7.5.

Greek international Minis Papaioannou scored his fifth goal in three games when he helped West Suburbs to eliminate Duveton's challenge for the First Division title.

West's did not play well, but with some of the pressure off, now they should produce more against Springvale away on Sunday.

Duveton tried hard but didn't play much football. The midfield was not at all creative. In fact, passes of any sort were few and far between, and Brian Roderick was the only impressive forward. Kick and rush seems to be Duveton's specialty.

Ian McCarthy, who transferred from Ajax two weeks earlier, was again the star of the match. If Steve Moore and Andy Czapanik matched McCarthy's work-rate, Wests would be invincible.

West took the lead against Duveton in the 5th minute.

Kypritidis sent over a cross from the right, Papaioannou headed it out into the open and Czapanik rammed it home first-time.

Then a good drive by former Melbourne and Albion Rovers player Gordon Bentley was tapped over by goal-keeper Alex Mitandis, and at the other end Ray Pocock headed wide from a McCarthy free kick.

The second half started with a shot by Czapanik being blocked by Duveton. Papaioannou chased the loose ball to the left and cut it back but it deflected off a defender, to goalkeeper Lou Ivanoff.

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THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

Division 1: Saturday: Devon in Ringwood City, Maryborough in Dandenong City, Box Hill in Coleraine City, Sunday: Springvale City in Western Suburbs, Kallor City in Melbourne, Arden in Moorland.

Division 2: Saturday: Port Melbourne in Kallor City, Werribee City, Richmond in Port Melbourne, Footscray in St. Albans, Bell Park in Footscray, Dandenong in Victoria United.

Division 3: Saturday: Broadmeads in Brighton, Melbourne in Victoria United, Hawthorn in Victoria United, Melbourne in Victoria United, Melbourne in Victoria United.

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MELBOURNE O MARIYRONIS 2 (J. Dimitriou 79th Min, Sekulski 80th).

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Both sides had good scoring chances in the first ten minutes of play. Mariyronis pulled out a penalty when Michael Pichner was fouled by Sekulski. Pichner pounced on a pass from Richard Sekulski only to hit the cross-bar.

It wasn't until the 70th minute when the visitors took the lead, cross by Sekulski from the right wing found Jim Dimitriou and the full back made no mistake from close range.

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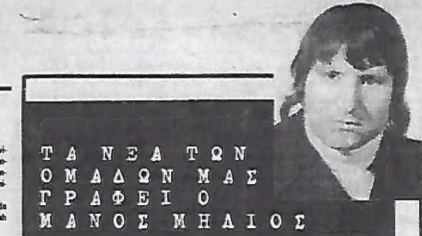
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ΕΣ ΛΑΛΗ θέρμα ΕΠΙΣΤΑΤΕ οσδ γνέρεσ τοσ πέντεντο λένε με 5-0. τος α' μέρος η ελληνική ομάδα έφρε έχασε πέντεντο τοσ 23' με τόν Βασ. Κομπ-λάνη, προηγήθηκε με κουνιό οσδ τοσ άρσουλια τοσ βρήκε πόδι έμπροσθεν κας κοτέλησε οσδ όλοσ τζήν έπανόληνη η έπείθεσε οσδ όλοσ πέτονε φινιές κας σημεύσεσ όλοσ 4 τέρομο με τοσ JOHN KATOLIKO 2, Β. Κομπλάνη κας STEVE SE-LAWSKI. Κονένοσ δέν ύστεροσ δόσ τήν όμωσ τοσ 43οσ μιν.

Τόσ βοσμοδός δόσ τόν άουατήρ πρήν ος 'Ιωσέφς 3, Μήλιος 2, Ροβέρτοσ 1. 'Αριστοσ ήταν δ άουατήρς κ.ν. ΔΙΒΛΑΣΙ. 'Ο πέντοσ έπείσε με τήν έξέσ σνθεσ: Κούμης, Β. Μοτάνος, Ροβέρτοσ, Μήλιος, ΜΕ-ΛΑ'ΣΚΙ, Β. Κομπλάνη, άρσουλια κας J. KATOLIKO.

ΗΡΑΚΛΗΣ: Μέσ στήν έδρω τοσ δ ΗΡΑΚΛΗΣ έέν κοτόσνε νά κερσίσεσ τήν όσσοδ ΑΡ-ΥΤΗΡ κας περιορίσεσ ός ίσοσολό 1-1. Τό μονόδιό κήλ πέντεσ δ έσφορς Τέσσοσ. Εγώρηνον έπεί τήν κουνόλεωσ τοσ άδην Μο-μδση ός τήνς Γκοστένις, Γ. Βοσέκης κας ό-μωσ Κουλόσ.

ΠΑΝΕΛΛΗΝΙΟΙ: 'Η κουνόλεωσ όμωσ τοσ Σο-νδών πέντεσ η' άλήν νήκ, έπεί τοσ έπέρτον στήν τήν φορβ 2-1 κας έξερνε άδην πό-λιν στήν βοσμολόνιό τήνς.

Τόσ γκείν νίς έέν έσσελάνησ σημεύσεσ ός Μήης Παπαϊώνου κας Στέβ Μορ-Κονένοσ δέν ύστεροσ δόσ τήν νικήτρια.

ΜΕ ΕΠΑ γκείν πόσ πέντεσ μόνι τοσ δ-νέκτολ κας ένα τοσ Χρφόσ 'Αγγλοσ η' ΔΟΞΑ έδρεσσεσ ίσοσολό 6 δόσ τήν Τουλόνε 2-1. 'Ο βοσμοδός έχασε η' ελληνική όμωσ τοσ Τέροβρολ ένασ νός τήν βήθ μοιροφόσ γίδ τήν ηρεσνίλ σούλν.

ΤΟ ΟΚΑΗ σνέμεισ τήν όρμωσέληνη πορβέ τοσ σέσ προετάρησησ τήν β' κατηγορίασ τοσ Προβόνιόνδ άδην με νήκ έπεί τοσ 'Ησ Προβόνιόνδ 2 - 1.

Η ΟΜΑΔά τών άποστολόνδών έναί έσομη πέ-λι γίδ νέο σέρομ. Αδής τήν φορβ 6 ένεμ-εωτέσεσ στές 29/7 στέ 'Ολμπικ Πίρκα κας πρό τοσ έγώνος ΜΕΡΑ - ΑΠΛΑ με ένόςόδοσ δόσ τοσ προερόντς τών ελληνικήν όδών.

Όσως μόνι με τήν όμωσ τών προερόντς 36 πο-τόν ός Μογνολόσ/ΝΕΣΛΕ/ 'Αουατήρς/ΔΟΞΑ/ Τούλόν/ΠΑΝΕΛΛΗΝΙΟΙ/Μπορντό/ΕΡΑΡ/Πορβό/ΕΠΑΛΑ 2 Β' - 'Αουατήρς/ΟΚΑΗ - Εσφορόβη/ΚΑΙΣΤΟΝ ΚΑΛΑ - Κορνυτόλ/ΜΕΡΑ 3 Β' / Κ. Αλοβόρς/ΜΟΥΡΑΜΠΗΛΑ - Δουβρόντζε/ΑΕΝΤΑΙΣ - Μόσσεσ/ΝΟΡΕ ΜΕΛΑΜΠΕΡ - Σολότς η' Τσιμέρν/Ν. ΕΠΑΛΑ κας έλαιο.

Τό ένορθηρόν λέντιμο τοσ έγώνος δέ κνείσ δέ νείνός μας όσοσ Μήης Παπαϊώνου.

ΟΙΣΣ κοπέλεσ έννοσέρονοι τοσ μετδό-χον στέν έννοσέρον τήν Μίς ΗΡΑΚΛΗΣ κινονόν νά τερμινών νν στέν κ. Ρορβό-μω Κατπέρν στέ 4654918.

Η στέβη τήν 'Μίς 'Ρωσκή' δέ γένει στέν έξφορ χορβ τοσ σνλόνου στές 29/9 στέ Οκίλ Ροβόνιόν.

'Εως τώρα στέν ένοσινωμώσ μετχόνν ός κέ-νέτς όσινωμώσ: Σίλ Κόκαλη, 'Ελνέν Τίαν-νέκεν, Μορην Μοσού, 'Αρετ ή κας Βάχον.

'Ας σμινειώτ μάς δ ηρεσνίλς έξφορς χορβς έναί δ 17ος στήν έσορβή τοσ κουνόλεωσ σνλόνου.

ΧΟΡΟ όλορσνένν η' ΑΥΝΑΜΟ τοσ έδρσοσ 14/7 στέ 274 ΑΛΒΕΡΤ ΡΙΔ-όσος Μελμούνν. Τμή έ-σινωμώσ μετς φωνήσ κας ποτς 13 σολλόρις. Γίδ περιόσσερς κληροφώσεσ τηλεφώνεσσε στέν κ. Χρ. Πέτρον στέ 5468182.

ΜΙΑΡΜΠΕΚΙΟΤ όδοί τοσ έδρσοσ 14/7 τοσ ΜΑ-ΒΕΡΝ ΣΙΤΥ στέν ένόςόρονη Νέβρλίγγκτον κας Ουίλβερ Σερ. ΜΑΒΕΡΝ. Τμή έσινωμώσ μετς φωνήσ κας ποτς 7 δολλόρις.

ΕΝΑΝ σονμόσ κοληφίερ δέκτερος η' Μορ-μύνοσ δόσ τόν Νέφτον. Πρδέκτελ γίδ τόν τε-λόντοσσο Ρόμλινον δ όποτοσ ήταν δ κολέσ-τερος ποκίτης η' ελληνικής όμωσ στέν νι-κηρόσ όγώνο τήν τήν περσώμενησ κυριέρες έπεί τήν Κωλοκλήρ 2 - 1. 'Επείσ ένεκρ-έθηον ός Τζόν Έλνιτς κας Πίτερ Γιαννέκοσ.

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'Η τρέτη χρονιά τοσ 'Εθνικού πρωτά-λμπατος έχει έλσατήσ σημεύσεσ έπ'ότι όδός προετάρησησ. 'Ιδιστήν γιαντ έναίς η' χρονιά τόν ύποβασμόσ όδός μέ-λόνος κας τής άνόςος άλλιν όός. Τού-λάσιον ατέσ προετάρησησ, η' έχων προ-βέλες ός κινονορφό τοσ 'Εθνικού πρωτά-λμπατος.

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Shocks in Industrial & Amateur League with Dwin & Judy Tucker

From expected placings on tables in the Industrial League four favorites were defeated when Tarax, A.N.Z. West United and Hedges Dynamo had strong wins.

Division Four North leaders Dux United were narrowly defeated by Division 1 Pegasus. Dux won the toss and elected to play against the wind in the first half. Pegasus' Mirko Placko scored the first goal ten minutes into the game after a corner scramble, but a few minutes later Dux's Charles Pampallia equalised against the wind. Dux's gamble did not pay off after the change of end, as the wind died away, denying Dux the advantage. In this half, both sides created chances. The winning goal was scored in the final five minutes by Pegasus' Josip Maric.

Tarax are well on their way to their second consecutive win after defeating the leaders of their division Bosch Dynamo. Dynamo's dis-appointment in several decisions from referee Dwin Tucker after performance on the day. Tarax were able to contain the Bosch attack and their scorers in the first half, this was largely due to the efforts of goalkeeper Sander Karz.

The leading goal scorer for Tarax was Ibro Hadzovic, nothing up to two goals.

Keelley took control right from the kick-off and after ten minutes, left-winger Toth had shot from ten yards out to put them 1-0 up. Con-sequent scores at the 40 (own goal), 50 and 86 minute marks assured them of a comfortable win over lower division Rowntree Hoadley who tried hard all day but never really got into the game.

On perfect ground conditions, flu affected 4th division Windale United met 2nd division A.R. Split. For the first time, a strong wind blew across the ground, favouring one and making play difficult. Windale are to be congratulated in keeping up with their superior opponents who later went on to show why they are ahead of their division. Windale took the game up to A.R. Split and were only 2-1 at the break. After this, Split piled on the goals with ease against the younger Windale. Of the final seven goal win for Splits Jack Holcova.

Fourth division West United had a sound three goal win over 3rd division A.R. Split 'B'. With the wind blowing from corner to corner in their advantage, West were only 1-0 ahead at the change. Against the wind in the second term they played superior football — keeping the ball on the ground instead of lofting it. A.R. Split got few breaks and were solidly beaten by the strong defence and offence of West, especially the combined attack of Dzeravits and Manolis who scored two apiece.

Public Works were greatly punished for poor form by Hedges Dynamo who put them out of the Cup contention with a 4-0 win. Hedges played their usual close-knit game with tidy and skillful play which they well deserved to go through to the next round.

Gascor pressured CBC Bank from the start and perhaps the 0-0 break score was no indication of their dominance. It was through the skills of CBC keeper Constantine Doubaras that many Gascor chances were kept out. After the change both sides settled down but it was not until the 75th minute that Gascor scored. Before Gascor could appreciate their position, CBC had replied — almost from the kick-off to send the game to a 1-1 full-time draw. Towards the end of the first 15 minutes of extra time, Michael Koukoumets combined well with his team-mates to score and send his team home victors.

ANZ with the wind in the first half, opened the scoring from a Middle Park VRI defensive mistake and shortly after scored more. They dominated for the first 30 minutes until Middle Park came back strongly but only with one consolation. After the change, ANZ were again pushed hard back in defence but a lone breakthrough was to send them 3-1 up. A penalty three minutes before time saw VRI a goal closer but the previously missed chances were to seal their fate.

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ADELAIDE CITY

G.P.O. BOX 1262L, ADELAIDE, 5001 (08) 332 5614

SECRETARY: G. Ursini (08) 31 0778

COACH: R. Rasic

GROUND: Olympic Sports Field, Kensington (08) 31 1844.

COLOURS: Black & White.



This week's match v **APIA LEICHHARDT** at Wentworth Park (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

BRISBANE LIONS

15 DELPHINUS ST., INALA, QLD. 4077

SECRETARY: S. Boegheim (07) 372 2891

COACH: M. Carson

GROUND: Perry Park, Abbotsford Rd., Mayne. (07) 52 5328.

COLOURS: All Orange with Blue Stripes.

SPONSOR: Tri-Steel Industries, Fine Steel Buildings



This week's match v **ST GEORGE** at St George Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

BRISBANE CITY

P. O. Box 265 Broadway, Brisbane 4001
Club phone: 356 8834

SECRETARY: G. Canale bus (07) 52 4711.

COACH: N. Saffich.

GROUND: Perry Park, Abbotsford Rd., Mayne.

SPONSOR: Montrose Wines & Spirits Pty. Limited
Retail Cellar Sales, 398 Montague Rd.
West End Brisbane. Phone 44 7320.



This week's match v **NEWCASTLE KB UNITED** at Perry Park (Brisbane) Sunday 3pm

CANBERRA CITY

P.O. Box 910, Canberra City 2600

SECRETARY: Max Talbot (W) 48 8917 (A.H.) 88 5078

COACH: V. Fernandez

GROUND: National Athletic Stadium, Bruce

SPONSOR:

BRIAN POLLOCK Ford



This week's match v **FOOTSCRAY** at Olympic Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3pm

HEIDELBERG UNITED

P.O. BOX 8, COLLINGWOOD, 3066

SECRETARY: A. Loustas 419 2588.

COACH: M. Poulakakis

GROUND: Olympic Park, Swan St., Melb. (03) 42 0642.

COLOURS: Black & Gold.

* GIRLS WHO WISH TO TAKE PART IN MISS ALEXANDER QUEST SHOULD CONTACT THE SECRETARY.



This week's match v **SOUTH MELBOURNE** at Middle Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3pm

FOOTSCRAY

P.O. BOX 122, ST KILDA SOUTH, 3182

SECRETARY: H. Iser bus (03) 391 3231

COACH: B. McLachlan

GROUND: Olympic Park, Swan St, Melb (03) 42 0642

COLOURS: Blue White Red.

SPONSOR:



This week's match v **CANBERRA CITY** at Olympic Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3pm

NEWCASTLE KB UNITED

4 NORTHWOOD ST., ADAMSTOWN HEIGHTS, N.S.W., 2289

SECRETARY: P. Trisley, Bus. (049) 24930 (049) 26 2433

COACH: A. Vest

GROUND: International Sports Centre, Turton Rd., New Lambton. Ph (049) 52 1224

SPONSOR: Tooth & Co., Brewers of KB Beer



This week's match v **BRISBANE CITY** at Perry Park (Brisbane) Sunday 3pm

MARCONI

MARCONI ROAD, BOSSLEY PARK, N.S.W. 2176

SECRETARY: L. Sartoretto (02) 604 5222.

COACH: L. Scheinflug.

GROUND: Marconi Oval, Marconi Rd., Bossley Park.



This week's match v **SYDNEY CITY** at Marconi Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

SOUTH MELBOURNE

P.O. BOX 64, ST. KILDA WEST, VIC., 3182

GENERAL SECRETARY: J. Karvess, Tel 534 5462

COACH: John Margaritis

GROUND: Middle Park, Aughtie Drive, Middle Park

COLOURS: Blue & White

Girls who wish to enter Miss South Melbourne quest please contact
N. Sagiakos 528 6196 (A.H.) P. Pallas 232 4577 (Bus), 233 2514 (A.H.).



This week's match v **HEIDELBERG UNITED** at Middle Park (Melbourne) Sunday 3pm

ST. GEORGE

84 VICTORIA AVENUE, MORTDALE, N.S.W.

GENERAL MANAGER: L. Bordacs (02) 269 2745.

COACH: R. Blanco

GROUND: St George Stadium, Rockdale

COLOURS: White, Red & Green.



This week's match v **BRISBANE LIONS** at St George Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

WEST ADELAIDE

G.P.O. BOX 1130, ADELAIDE S.A., 5001

SECRETARY: D. A. Carapetis, Bus. (08) 227 4311.

COACH: T. Forde.

GROUND: Hindmarsh Stadium, Manton St., Hindmarsh.



This week's match v **SYDNEY OLYMPIC** at Hindmarsh Stadium (Adelaide) Sunday 2.30pm

SYDNEY OLYMPIC

BOX A181 SYDNEY SOUTH, N.S.W., 2000

SECRETARY: N Smilas (Bus) (02) 72 0661.

COACH: J. Marston.

GROUND: Pratton Park, Ashfield.

SPONSOR: **patra**



This week's match v **WEST ADELAIDE** at Hindmarsh Stadium (Adelaide) Sunday 2.30pm

A.P.I.A. LEICHHARDT

38-42 FRAZER ST., LEICHHARDT 4040.

SECRETARY: H. Ambrose (02) 516 1688

COACH: R. Richards

GROUND: Wentworth Park, Glebe.
Phone (02) 660 7431.

COLOURS: Burgundy & Sky Blue.



This week's match v **ADELAIDE CITY** at Wentworth Park (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

SYDNEY CITY

61 HALL ST., BONDI, NSW.

SECRETARY: H. K. Lakmaker (02) 30 3344 (Mornings).

663 4576 (Afternoons).

COACH: G. Chaldi.

GROUND: Wentworth Park Glebe, NSW
Phone (02) 660 7431.

SPONSOR: **PRESTO SMALLGOODS** and City Ford.

This week's match v **MARCONI** at Marconi Stadium (Sydney) Sunday 3pm

